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THE WEATHER.

SHIP REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; light east winds. For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, with fog in the morning; light east winds.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 69 deg.; minimum, 51 deg. Wind, 5 p.m., northeast; velocity, 6 miles; 5 p.m., southeast; velocity, 4 miles. Rainfall the temperature was 49 deg. clear.

TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 48 deg.; clear.

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CITY. Reports of Los Angeles show them to be in an exceedingly strong condition....Strange temperance campaign being waged at Anaheim, in which saloon men are seeking to have restraint and churches appear in opposing them, but for good results....Cartwright anti-trust law to go into effect today and buyers are given the right to know exactly what they are buying....BUTCHER BE CHARGED....Where the police stood on the question of closing saloons on Sunday; injunction suit to be filed; no go that a second edition was necessary in record time....Big cotton mill for Los Angeles practically assured....Rum of looms expected within a year....Patrolman E. A. Maranville, popular and efficient member of the police force, succumbs after brief illness....Victims of the late Ollie Watson in land swindle stop foreclosure of mortgage by securing injunction....Authorities puzzled over actions of forty girl forger and suggest asylum instead of penitentiary as proper place for her....Bethlehem Institutional Church proposes to establish free house for destitute choles and their assistance....Death of Louis Glvand, pioneer silk manufacturer....Resident woman seeks police in vain but is saved....Death of Sam McClure who was born in Scotland during reign of George III....Board of Health dismisses five inspectors....Mrs. Anna Starr, convicted of attempting to kill female patient of her husband, a Pasadena physician, serves six months in jail....Jury will finish the job next week....Farnsworth, who looted Bullard's safe, arraigned....Los Angeles Gas company makes big success in court.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. South Pasadena woman dies from burns; loses a quarter of a mile with clothes ablaze, while would-be rescuers vainly fan her....Pasadena police proud of record of no arrests on Tournament day....Young woman disarms highwayman in Long Beach suburb....San Bernardino children march out of burning school building in orderly fashion....Harwood's famous liquor case returns verdict of acquittal....Aged woman wanders away in Riverside....Broad" church social and mock auction by pretty girls proves a winner at Calexico....Bloody journalism in Salton Park.

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GENERAL EASTERN. Republican leaders say Taft is really only candidate, although there are favorite sons....Important meeting medical men and advocates of sanitary hold in Pittsburgh....Little hope for strikes this year among New York building unions....Japan and America reach amicable agreement regarding restriction of immigration of coolies and other proscribed classes to United States....John D. Rockefeller increases his contributions to University of Chicago by $3,140,000. Hundred thousand street-car strikers and sympathizers terrorize Muncie, Ind....Bull wins and Forsker loses in fight in Ohio Republican State Convention....Five thousand East Side workers in New York take part in demonstration against landlords....Negro, caught nine years after escape from jail, during which time he led exemplary life, pardoned on appeal....Mrs. Harold McCormick, daughter, snubs W.C.T.U. and temperance leaders.

CONSPUED!

BONI HITS RIVAL.

Spits in Prince de Sagan's Face.

Count de Castellane and His Brother Cane and Kick Cousin.

Ex-Husband and Lover of Anna Gould Begin Fight in Church

Victors Must Answer Charge of Assault—No Chance of Duel.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Jan. 2.—Count Boni de Castellane, from whom his wife, who was Miss Anna Gould of New York, was recently divorced, and Prince Helie de Sagan, who on several occasions was reported to be engaged to Madame Gould, had a personal encounter today at the Church of St. Pierre de Chaillot, while a service to the memory of the Lady Stanley Errington, a relative of both men, who died in England lately, was in progress.

Beginning inside the church, where Count Boni says the Prince insulted both him and the sacred edifice, the encounter was resumed at the doorway, where Count Boni, followed by his brother, Count Jean de Castellane, overtook the Prince. Count Boni spat in his cousin's face.

Then came the clash of canes, followed by a rough-and-tumble fight on the pavement, which ended in the gutter, where the men were finally separated by a big butcher. Count Boni at the moment of intervention was holding down the well-nigh insensible Prince, while Jean, according to eye-witnesses, was administering to him a severe kicking.

BUTCHER BE CHARGED.

When the police arrived on the scene they found the two principals in the fight, who were covered with mud. The Prince was bleeding profusely from a wound in the right temple, where he had been hit by Count Boni's heavy stick. With the butcher's hand on his collar, Boni was haranguing a crowd which had gathered, as to why he had spat in the Prince's face.

The police invited the two men to go to the station house, and this, after some disputing, they agreed to do.

All three of them, bespattered by mud, followed the police, and, accompanied by several thousand persons, marched off to the station.

Both Count Boni and the Prince gave their own versions of the quarrel, each claiming the other was the aggressor, but the Prince alone lodged a complaint, charging the brothers with assault.

A "process verbal," having been written out, according to the French law, the three men signed it and were then released. The case now will go before the public prosecutor, who will decide what steps shall be taken.

DUEL PRECLUDED.

In view of the fact that Prince Helie has decided to pursue the matter in the courts, the idea of the duel seems to be precluded. Besides, Count Boni declared tonight it was doubtful whether he would receive the seconds of the Prince even if the latter could find any one to act in that capacity.

Tonight the Prince is laid up in bed with his head swathed in bandages, while the Count spent a part of the evening in visiting the newspaper offices and telling the story of the encounter.

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Mrs. Harold G. McCormick, daughter of John D. Rockefeller, who shocked Chicago temperance folks.

COURAGEOUS WOMAN.

TEMPERANCE FOLKS SHOCKED.

J. D. ROCKEFELLER'S DAUGHTER SNUBS WHITE RIBBONERS.

Mrs. Harold McCormick Refuses to Be Patroness for Frances Willard Hospital Because Alcohol Is Barred Even Under Doctor's Prescription. Speaks Her Mind.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Refusal of Mrs. Harold G. McCormick to allow the use of her name as a patroness of the approaching concert for the benefit of the Frances Willard Hospital—based on objections to carrying the temperance idea to the extreme recognized in the institution—caused a stir in white ribbon and social circles today.

The appearance of the correspondence between Mrs. Margaret Ingleheart, president of the hospital, and Mrs. McCormick at once started widespread discussion as to the use of alcohol in the sick room, its prohibition by those at the head of the Willard Hospital, and Mrs. McCormick's frank expression of her views. Many were inclined to applaud her. Mrs. McCormick said bluntly in her communication to Mrs. Ingleheart:

"I am sorry that I am not able to let my name be used as a patroness for the concert to be given by Rudolph Gans and the other artists at Orchestra Hall on Thursday evening, November 28, for the benefit of the Frances Willard Hospital. I do not feel wholly in sympathy with a hospital which does not permit (if I am not mistaken) the use of alcoholics under a doctor's prescription."

NIGHT RIDERS BURN TOWN.

Report Reaches Nashville, Tenn., That Russell Is in Danger of Total Destruction.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NASHVILLE (Tenn.) Jan. 2.—Information has been received from the Louisville and Nashville dispatcher that night riders are burning Russell, Ky.

No particulars are at hand. The Louisville and Nashville depot is in danger.

SAYS ELECTRICITY MAY BE GENERATED IN HUMAN BODY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Discovery of a method for the generation of energy within the human body itself—the nearest approach to the secret of life yet achieved in the triumph of science—was today announced to the American Association for the Advancement of Science by Dr. J. E. Siebel, a Chicago physician. Dr. Siebel's discovery ranks among scientific men with the successes of Edison, Marconi and Roentgen and deals with the same principle—electricity.

Experiments conducted for years, Dr. Siebel announced today, have brought perfect demonstration of the theory that electricity, stored up in the muscular structure of the human frame, can be released and made to do work. This work is the prolongation of life through the additional vitality supplied to the human body working as its own electrical generator.

Nearly one year ago Dr. Siebel announced that nutritive elements, such as alcohol, sugar, fats, etc., during their consumption by the human body, act as generators of electricity in the miniature but numerous batteries that comprise the muscular structure of the human frame. At the time there was only one link missing to make the theory perfect. The oxygen carrier of the blood, oxyhemolobin, would not yield to the electric force generated in the miniature batteries of the body.

During the last year, Dr. Siebel has succeeded in the construction of batteries on a working scale, in which the nutritive combustibles necessary to form the connection between the batteries and the system have been created.

FIGHT PLANS READY.

HARRIMAN IS NEXT.

Trust-Busters After Espee Chief.

Bonaparte Says Government Will Soon Be Ready to Tell Plans.

To Dissolve System of Southern and Union Pacific Roads.

Surprise to Financiers Who Thought Panic Calmed Administration.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Atty-Gen. Bonaparte said today that in the course of the next ten days he would be prepared to make an announcement concerning the action to be taken by the government against the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific railroads.

The roads, owned by E. H. Harriman, are alleged to be operated in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. Mr. Bonaparte's admission comes as a great surprise to those who had understood that the panic and disturbed conditions in the business world had convinced the administration that it was time to go slowly with its "trust-busting" operations.

READY SOON.

"The department would be in a position to make a definite statement now," said the Attorney-General today, "but for the fact that one of our special counsel in this case has been called to Europe unexpectedly. We expect him back shortly, and I think in ten days or a fortnight we will be ready to say something definite on the subject.

"It is, of course, no secret that the matter has been under consideration by this department for several months; in fact, ever since the meeting at the White House, at which the whole thing was discussed. We have been considering the case here ever since the Interstate Commerce Commission made its report. There has been no unusual delay. It has taken its regular course and we are almost ready to make a definite statement. I am not prepared to say now what we will do or say."

TO SUE IN WEST.

Despite the reticence of the Attorney-General, it is known that the government proposes to begin a suit to bring about the dissolution of the present arrangement under which Harriman operates the Southern Pacific and the Central Pacific. It will be contended that this is, in effect, a combination in restraint of trade and competition, just as the Northern Securities Company was held to be a combination in violation of the Sherman law.

Mr. Bonaparte would give no indication whether the proposed action is to be civil or criminal. When he was asked where the suit would be filed he replied:

"If a proceeding of the character suggested by the Interstate Commerce Commission is undertaken it would seem natural that it should be brought at some place west of the Mississippi."

BONAPARTE MAY LEAD FIGHT ON HARRIMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When Asst. Atty.-Gen. Purdy returns to Washington next Monday, procedure against the Harriman roads will be announced.

Mr. Purdy had charge under Atty.-Gen. Knox, of the Northern Securities case, and has been selected to push the fight on Harriman. This statement is qualified by the fact that the Attorney-General himself may go to the front. All data is in his hands now, but he is awaiting Mr. Purdy's return before deciding upon a programme.

E. H. Harriman controlled the Union Pacific Railroad and used the earnings of that road to buy a controlling interest in the Southern Pacific. It is contended by the government that these roads come under the act prohibiting any working agreement between "parallel and competing roads."

Asst. Atty.-Gen. Purdy made his reputation in his successful prosecution of the Northern Securities case. It is likely that the present suit will be fought along the same lines. The fact that the government is resuming its suspended fight on the corporations is an indication that the administration believes that the financial situation is convalescent or past the danger point.

ASSETS ARE NOTHING.

New York Mining Engineer and Promoter Fails, Owing Two Los Angeles Institutions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Oliver O. Howard, a mining engineer and promoter of No. 18 East Fortieth street and No. 415 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street, filed today in the United States District Court a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. The liabilities were set at $41,282, and the available assets at nothing.

The principal creditors are the California Bank of Los Angeles, $8000; the National Bank of Battle Creek, Mich., $15,000, and E. C. Nichols, Battle Creek, $5000, on notes made in 1899 and 1900, secured by shares of the Ratcliff Consolidated Gold Mines, Limited. The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of Los Angeles is also named as a creditor for $973.

Mr. Howard said tonight that he was not, as first supposed, a son of Gen. O. O. Howard, but was distantly related to Gen. Howard. Most of his life has been spent in the Far West and in Mexico. He hopes in time to pay his debts dollar for dollar, he said.

Dr. Nicholas Senn, famous surgeon, who died yesterday in Chicago.

GRIM REAPER.

DEATH CLAIMS NOTED SURGEON.

DR. NICHOLAS SENN IS VICTIM OF HEART DISEASE.

Gave up Practice of $50,000 a Year to Work in Field With American Army During War With Spain. Was Leader of Profession in United States—Famed Abroad.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. Nicholas Senn, one of the most prominent medical instructors and surgeons in the country, died at 1:20 o'clock today at his home, No. 323 Dearborn avenue.

Dr. Senn had been in ill health for several months. Several days ago his condition grew radically worse and recovery was despaired of. Heart disease caused Dr. Senn's death. He had been confined to his bed for two weeks. Dr. William M. Senn and Dr. N. Senn and Dr. E. J. Senn, were present, as well as his wife and Dr. Charles Adams.

Dr. Senn was born in Switzerland in 1844, but was brought to the United States by his parents in 1852. He graduated from the Chicago Medical College in 1869 and was house physician in the Cook County Hospital during this year. Then, after practicing for some years in Fond Du Lac, Wis., he went to the University of Munich, whence he graduated in 1875. He again took up practice in Milwaukee and became surgeon-general of Wisconsin.

Since 1895 he had been a resident of Chicago and held many high offices in his profession. He was chief surgeon of the Sixth Army Corps with the rank of lieutenant-colonel of volunteers and chief of the operating staff of the army in the field during the Spanish War.

Dr. Senn when on a tour of the world some years ago, spent several years in Japan and was offered the surgeon generalship of the Japanese army by the Mikado. He agreed to accept should the Japanese become engaged in a war.

In 1896 he gave up a practice of $50,000 a year to become chief operating surgeon in the field for the American army in the Spanish War.

In 1900 Dr. Senn donated $50,000 toward building a laboratory for Rush Medical College, of which institution he occupied the Nicholas Senn chair of surgery. He was a member of the leading medical societies of the world.

MUNIFICENT.

OIL KING GIVES TWO MILLIONS.

ANOTHER CONTRIBUTION TO UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO.

Rockefeller Makes Another Donation, Which Brings His Financial Gifts to Institution, Which He Founded, to Over Twenty-three Million Dollars.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John D. Rockefeller has made another donation to the University of Chicago.

This time the amount is $2,190,000. The gift was announced this evening. It brings the total of the oil king's contributions to the university in this city up to $23,515,000.

Of the gift announced today, $2,000,000 goes to swell the general endowment fund, and it consisted of securities, the nature of which are not made public. Another specific sum, $155,000, clears off the deficit in running expenses from July, 1906, to July, 1907. The balance goes for books, repairs and other incidentals.

Mr. Rockefeller took no part in the negotiations for the gift. Last month President Judson and the president of the trustees visited New York, and were told by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., to make out a list of the amounts they wanted his father to give. When the list was presented, Mr. Rockefeller made the gift without question.

It was in January, 1903, that the oil king founded the University of Chicago with a gift of $594,000. Since then scarcely a year has passed that he has not added from $500,000 to $2,000,000 to his original contribution.

MISS LOFTUS RECOVERING.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Cecilia Loftus, the actress, who was operated on for appendicitis, was better today.

TO ABOLISH CITY SLUMS.

Millionaire Philanthropist Will Rent Edison Concrete Houses at $7.50.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Henry Phipps, the Pittsburgh multi-millionaire and philanthropist, believes that in the Edison concrete dwelling he has found a solution of the slum and tenement problem.

To make a practical test, he will build colonies of perhaps 100 houses each, not far from New York and Philadelphia, and will offer these houses to workingmen at a rental not exceeding $7.50 a month.

There are hundreds of thousands of families huddled in the tenements of New York and other large cities who pay rentals in excess of what the multi-millionaire will ask for his model houses. There are thousands of workingmen in dingy, crowded cottages in the suburbs.

The tenement dwellers will be given first call. The plan means longer lives for wasted little bodies and cramped, hungry souls, comfort and a taste of pleasure, and, above all, freedom.

The inventor, "Wizard" Edison, has completed his plans to the point where he can "pour" such a house in twelve hours at a cost of $1000. A rental of $7.50 a month will afford the owner a profit upon his investment.

RIOTING.

INDIANA TOWN IS TERRORIZED.

MUNCIE, IND., IS IN HANDS OF UNIONIST MOB.

Two Thousand Street Car Strikers and Their Sympathizers Defy Police and With Stones Put Every Street Car Out of Commission. Militia in Readiness.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MUNCIE (Ind.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After another day of rioting, in which a mob of two thousand terrorized the business section and had the town completely at its mercy, the city is quiet again tonight.

Before the mob was appeased it drove all the strike-breakers from the street cars that attempted to operate about the principal streets, smashed in the window lights, and forced police officers to take the cars to the barns.

The regular police, assisted by twenty-five special officers and as many Sheriff's deputies, were helpless in the hands of the mob, and they could only obey its will.

THIRST FOR TROUBLE.

No attempt to molest the cars was made when they were first started, but late in the morning the mob began stoning the strike-breakers, and soon afterward put every street car out of commission. The Union Traction Company then abandoned all attempts to operate the cars.

Elated by victory and thirsting for more trouble, the rioters next marched two miles to the traction car barns, where the cars had been taken, and where a hundred strike-breakers were fortified. The officers hurled themselves against the mob, only to be laughed at for their pains.

That greater violence was not done was due directly to John P. Tobin, president of the Muncie Trades Council, and William Purcell, State Labor Commissioner, who addressed the mob at the barns. Tobin declared that so long as lawlessness reigned in Muncie the strikers had no possibility of winning.

HOOT, THEN CHEERS.

Commissioner Purcell was hooted when he arose to speak, but before he had finished speaking he was cheered to the echo, and the rioters abandoned their intention of storming the car barns and returned to town.

Mayor Guthrie has ordered all saloons closed for two days. Several companies of militia are kept under arms, ready to be hastened here tomorrow on call of Adjt.-Gen. Perry, who is in Muncie. One hundred special policemen to augment the regular force were sworn in tonight. Violence is sure to accompany any further attempt to operate street cars. Residents fear tomorrow will be a bloody day. If the special police force cannot handle the rioters, martial law will be proclaimed.

SUCH A GENEROUSNESS.

Woman Gives Twelve Cents as Reward to Finder of Thousands in Money and Jewelry.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ATLANTIC CITY (N. J.) Jan. 2.—Douglas Gibson, a chair-pusher, found a pocketbook on the boardwalk containing $8000 and money and jewelry worth several thousand dollars.

He was just counting the money, when the owner, a woman, appeared. She praised Gibson for his honesty when he turned her property over to her and said he should be rewarded.

She carefully counted the bills, and then gave Gibson two nickels and two pennies as a reward.

RECEIVERSHIP.

ROAD HAS DEFICIT.

Receivers Named for Seaboard.

Unable to Meet Its Fixed Charges, the Crisis Is Reached.

Stockholders Agree on Two Men to Take Charge of System.

Creditors Are Advised That Action Taken Is for Their Benefit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Seaboard Air Line Railroad Company was today placed in hands of receivers by Judge John C. Pritchard of the United States Circuit Court at Richmond, Va., S. Davies Warfield, president of the Continental Trust Company of Baltimore, and B. Lancaster Williams, a brother of John Skelton Williams, formerly president of the Seaboard line, and a member of the banking house of C. K. Middendorf, Williams & Cuney of Baltimore, were named as receivers. Their bonds were fixed at $50,000 each.

The appointment of receivers for the road followed several conferences of directors and other financial interests in this city, Baltimore and Washington, and was done upon petition filed by the company itself. The title of the case is "The Seaboard Air Line Railway, complainant, vs. the Continental Trust Company, as trustee, under the first mortgage made by the Seaboard Air Line Railway, defendant."

MAY BORROW MONEY.

By the decree the receivers are empowered to borrow money, if needful, to pay such rental as may become due, purchase cars and equipment, pay for labor and supplies, and are ordered to pay for them with all possible speed.

The receivers left New York for Richmond, Va., at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, and will arrive in Richmond at 10:30 tonight. They will go from Richmond to Danville, Va., where they will arrive at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Judge Pritchard will be met at the Seaboard Air Line station in Danville by a committee of citizens and escorted to the Seaboard Air Line hotel, where he will hold court for the purpose of hearing the petition for the receivership. The receivers will then go to Atlanta, Ga., where they will arrive at 10:30 tomorrow night.

Air Line met Judge Pritchard at Danville, Va., shortly after midnight this morning and laid before him the formal petition for a receivership. Judge Pritchard consulted with the attorneys for a time at Danville and then the party proceeded by special train to Richmond, where Judge Pritchard formally entered the order appointing the receivers.

The attorneys who appeared in the case were Samuel Untermyer of New York, representing the Ryan interests; Hipps Hanton of Richmond, Va., representing the Williams interests, and General Counsel Watts, appearing for the railroad corporation. Attorney Untermyer drew up the complaint at a conference in the New Willard Hotel in Washington yesterday, and Judge Pritchard, who was at Asheville N. C., was asked to meet the attorneys at Danville. A special car was placed at his disposal and he arrived at Danville shortly after midnight.

DEFICIT SHOWN.

The placing of the Seaboard line in the hands of receivers follows a statement of the company's earnings showing $3,123,936 on hand, with which to meet fixed charges of $3,173,434, a deficit of $42,502.

It was known for several days that some decisive steps would be necessary to protect the property in view of its inability to meet its fixed charges and the receivership was not entirely unexpected in well-informed financial quarters.

While there have been antagonistic interests in the Seaboard company, it is declared that the receivership in no way grows out of the conflict of views.

John Skelton Williams, who represents the anti-Ryan faction in the Seaboard, declares that the receivership presages a reorganization of the road upon a firmer financial basis and warns stockholders against becoming alarmed at the turn of affairs.

THE RECEIVERSHIP.

The receivers are to take immediate possession of 2362 miles of railroad, and are instructed to operate it for the benefit of the stock and bondholders until such time as arrangements can be made to place the company upon a firm financial basis.

Ancillary receivers were also appointed in New York and Atlanta, Ga., today. In each instance the men named were Mr. Warfield and Mr. Williams, as designated by Judge Pritchard and agreed upon by the various interests in the company.

The effect of the appointment of receivers for the road was not reflected in any marked degree in Wall street today. The announcement that a prominent banking house had offered to buy at par the maturing coupons on all bonds of the Seaboard Air Line had a salutary effect on the stock market, and the bull movement, which developed today, was not interfered with.

From Baltimore, however, it is reported that the receivership proceedings will have a far-reaching effect, as the Seaboard securities are heavily held in that city.

BONDHOLDERS ADVISED TO NOT GET EXCITED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BALTIMORE (Md.) Jan. 2.—R. Lancaster Williams and S. Davies Warfield, who were appointed receivers of

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MORBID.

HE EXPECTED TO BE SLAIN.

Poisoned Preacher Permitted Policy to Lapse.

Didn't Want to Defraud the Life Company.

Feared Murder—No Move to Hold His Wife.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSFIELD (Ill.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Investigation as to the cause of the death, on December 4, of the Rev. Gilbert A. Gish at Chambersburg develops the fact that strychnine was found in his stomach and that the minister, who is of the Christian denomination, insured his life for $2000 recently. But purposely permitted the policy to expire by default in order that he might not defraud, as he considered it, the insuring company.

The Rev. Mr. Gish has told his brother and sworn that he expected to be slain, that his life had been threatened. On the night he died, the minister was conducting a revival. He returned home from church, went to a store, and shortly after his arrival at his home his wife notified the neighbors that he had become violently ill.

They found the Rev. Gish on the floor in convulsions, and he died before the physicians could arrive. At the inquest next day the verdict was of death by heart disease. Examinations by poison experts in Chicago, however, showed that the minister's death was due to poisoning, that there was sufficient strychnine in the stomach to kill three or four persons.

The Rev. Mr. Gish requested his brother about dropping a $2000 life insurance policy he had, in order to remove any temptations for his removal.

His brother urged the Rev. Mr. Gish to leave his wife, but in reply he stated he was a minister of the gospel, and as a Christian man believed it was his duty to live with his family, if it should cost his life in the end.

No warrant has yet been issued for his wife's arrest, but the authorities are investigating, and her arrest may follow.

PETTIBONE CASE DELAYED.

Presiding Judge not Ready to Furnish Counsel Copies of Instructions to Jury.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOISE (Idaho) Jan. 2.—Judge Wood was not ready to furnish attorneys copies of his instructions to the jury in the Pettibone case this morning, and an adjournment was ordered until tomorrow. The jury was not brought into court and only a brief session was held.

Additional requests for instructions were presented by both the defense and State yesterday, and Judge Wood this morning asked that authorities on them be submitted.

The defense asked that the jury be instructed that a verdict of guilty could be returned on the ground of conspiracy, if the evidence showed that Pettibone was a member of such conspiracy, Haywood having already been found not guilty. The defense maintained, in asking for this instruction, that the Haywood verdict was binding on all the defendants, in so far as the conspiracy charge is concerned.

The prosecution asked that the jury be instructed that if the defendant had in his possession evidence that was not presented either by himself or otherwise, the fact may be considered by the jury. Attorneys on both sides agreed to submit authorities on these two propositions at once.

It was announced by Judge Wood that night sessions would be held, if necessary, in order to get the case to the jury this week.

The condition of Pettibone is improving, but he returned to the hospital after court adjourned.

THAW'S DEFENSE OUTLINED.

Insanity at Time Stanford White Was Slain, but Sane Now, Is Plea That Will Be Made.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There was a conference at Martin W. Littleton's office today, at which Harry K. Thaw's defense was completely outlined. Besides Mr. Littleton there were present ex-Asst. Dist.-Atty. Daniel O'Reilly and A. Russell Peabody, the latter two of Thaw's counsel during the first Thaw trial.

It was agreed that the only defense to be introduced would be insanity at the time Stanford White was slain. It will be insisted that Thaw at present is perfectly sane. Expert alienists in the employ of the District Attorney will be asked to study Thaw, that they may be convinced that he is now sane.

Thaw's mental condition has been very much improved since he has been in the Tombs. He is in splendid physical condition. His trial is set for 10:30 o'clock Monday morning.

MURDER AT ALTAR.

BRIDEGROOM IS DEAD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BUTTE (Mont.) Jan. 2.—E. A. Lawrence, aged 22, of Butte, who was shot by Fred Baker of Dillon late yesterday afternoon just as Lawrence and Miss Nora Baker, aged 16, were to step to the altar, died today.

A charge of murder has been filed against Baker, who is the father of the girl.

The murder resulted from an old quarrel.

SILVER PLATE PROTECTS.

Vienna Professor Makes Valuable Discovery to Prevent Burning of Patients by X-Rays.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VIENNA (Austria) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prof. Jakash of this city has made the valuable discovery of a method for preventing the burning of the skin during the use of the X-rays.

He covers the part of the body to be examined with a silver plate, two hundredths of a millimeter (one millimeter equals .0394 inch) thick, inclosed in a cellulose covering.

Experiments have proved that the skin thus protected suffers no injury, while the influence of the rays is in no way hindered.

AWAITING VERDICT.

CALEB POWERS'S FATE HANGS IN BALANCE.

Caleb Powers,

who, in many respects, is the most remarkable prisoner in America. It is generally believed that, if the jury now deliberating his case, fails to return a verdict of guilty, the State of Kentucky will not again try him on the charge of being an accessory to the murder of Gov. Goebel.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GEORGETOWN (Ky.) Jan. 2.—At 7:45 o'clock, by agreement of counsel, Judge Morris read to the jury in the Caleb Powers trial, from the direct and cross-examination of Henry E. Youtsey, three paragraphs in answer to the two written questions propounded to the court by the jury.

The jury retired for the night at 9:30 o'clock. The case will not be further considered until tomorrow.

The jury began the consideration of a verdict this morning. Arguments were closed late yesterday evening, and the jurors retired, but decided to postpone their actual consideration until today.

Before the jury retired, Judge Morris specially charged the jury to maintain the utmost secrecy.

Powers was accompanied by his venerable mother and his sister.

Arthur Goebel, brother of the murdered man, and his nephew, W. L. Goebel, sat near States' Attorney Franklin.

An unconfirmed report is that the jury stands eleven for acquittal and one for life imprisonment.

READY FOR SENATE.

METCALF HAS REPLY TO CRITICS OF NAVY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secretary Metcalf today admitted that a reply to the critics of the navy is being prepared under his direction. This is done in anticipation of the call that will be made upon the department by the Senate in a resolution to be introduced by Senator Hale next Monday. This resolution also will call for the correspondence on the resignation of Admiral Brownson as Chief of the Bureau of Navigation.

"But that," said the Secretary, "will have to come from the White House if it is given out. There is not a copy even of Admiral Brownson's letter in the Navy Department."

The report is under preparation by Rear-Admiral Converse (retired,) and Capt. Capps, chief of the Bureau of Construction. The rear-admiral has been chief of the Bureau of Equipment and of the Bureau of Navigation, and is now president of the Board of Construction. He is regarded as one of the ablest men in the department.

The report will be not only a defense of the navy against its critics, but will name the officers of the navy who have given the information on which the criticism is based. Whether these officers shall be court-martialed or not will rest with the Secretary and the President.

It was learned today that Rear-Admirals Goodrich and Melville, who have talked for publication, in corroboration of the criticisms, will not have to face a court.

The order that Stokes take command of the hospital ship Relief at Mare Island has been on the desk of Secretary Metcalf a week. He did not sign it last week because he said that he was awaiting the return of the President. He saw the President Tuesday at the Cabinet meeting, and today, when they decided to make Pillsbury successor to Brownson. Yet Secretary Metcalf said this evening that he had not signed the Stokes commission.

It is an open secret in the Navy Department that the Secretary does not want to sign the order and is trying to get the President to put some one else in command. Resentment of the influence of Surg.-Gen. Rixey at the White House has reached the head of the Navy Department. The object lesson of Gen. Leonard Wood is in evidence still.

BOMB.

TWO DEAD; AND ONE MAY DIE.

ARE FATALLY SHATTERED WHEN DYNAMITE EXPLODES.

Companion Who Was With Them When Bomb Prematurely Goes Off Near Top of Oil Well in Kern River Field, Miraculously Escapes Without Injury.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two men are dead and another is not expected to live out the night, as a result of a premature explosion of dynamite yesterday at an oil well on the Nevada county lease in the Kern River fields. The dead are:

GEORGE HUNTER, tool dresser.

ISAAC COOK, tool dresser.

LOUIS FETHER, driller, is not expected to live.

The three men suffered badly-shattered left legs, and in each instance amputation was performed. Hunter died last night, and Cook died this afternoon. The latter suffered internal injuries.

In addition to Fether's amputated leg, he is suffering from his right leg being badly mangled by a piece of pipe which was driven into the flesh by the force of the explosion.

CANNOT EXPLAIN IT.

Al Hunter, a brother of one of the dead men, was working with the three others when the explosion occurred. His escape is miraculous, and he is able to tell the frightful story without having suffered an injury.

The four men had just dropped a dynamite bomb with which to shoot a string of tools which had become wedged in the bottom of the well, the powder being but a few feet below the surface of the derrick floor, when it exploded in some unaccountable manner.

PILLSBURY'S JOB TEMPORARY.

New Chief of Bureau of Navigation Must Retire for Age Next December.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The selection of Capt. John Elliott Pillsbury to be chief of the Bureau of Navigation, is at best only a temporary one, unless the President should decide to again commission a retired officer as chief of the bureau. Capt. Pillsbury must retire on account of age December 15 next.

Secretary Metcalf announced this afternoon that Capt. Pillsbury would not assume the duties of chief of the bureau until he has been confirmed by the Senate. His nomination is expected to be sent to the Senate when it reassembles Monday.

There were no candidates for the position of chief of the bureau, in the sense that no applications were made for the appointment.

Capt. Pillsbury occupies an exceptional position in being out of line for promotion to the grade of rear-admiral though in his capacity as chief of the Bureau of Navigation he will temporarily enjoy that title. This is owing to the conditions under which he entered the Naval Academy and graduated.

The beginning of the Spanish War found Pillsbury a lieutenant-commander, and because of his tendency toward high explosives, he was placed in command of the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius. He is familiar with the duties of the Bureau of Navigation, having served as assistant to Admiral Converse when he was at the head of that bureau. His last duty before coming to Washington was as chief of staff to Admiral Evans, in command of the Atlantic fleet.

Fire broke out yesterday morning in the bedroom of Prince Eitel Friederich, the third son of Emperor William, in the Royal Chateau at Bellevu, located in Tiergarten, where the Prince at present is residing. Considerable damage to the contents of the castle was done. The chateau was built in 1785.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fair and moderate weather for Chicago, bleak, dreary and frigid weather nearly everywhere else. That is the product of the weather official's figuring today. In Chicago the temperature today ranged from 22 to 37 deg. At Williston, N. D., the temperature fell to 10 deg. below zero, and throughout the Northwest and West cold weather prevails. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	30	10
Bismarck	42	4
Cairo	52	36
Cheyenne	44	22
Cincinnati	44	30
Cleveland	32	28
Concordia	48	32
Davenport	34	30
Denver	40	24
Des Moines	36	24
Detroit	34	13
Devil's Lake	30	-6
Dodge City	54	26
Dubuque	36	8
Duluth	24	6
Escanaba	36	4
Grand Rapids	30	16
Green Bay	30	4
Helena	44	22
Huron	36	-6
Indianapolis	44	32
Kansas City	52	32
Marquette	30	24
Memphis	56	44
Milwaukee	30	24
Omaha	44	30
St. Louis	50	40
St. Paul	30	16
Sault Ste. Marie	28	22
Springfield, Ill.	44	26
Springfield, Mo.	62	32
Wichita	58	22

CONVERTED TO FAITH CURE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In emulation of Bishop Samuel Fallows of the Reformed Episcopal Church, Bishop Charles Brent, head of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Philippine Islands, has become a convert to "Christian psychology," and will commence a campaign of teaching and healing in all the principal cities of his territory. Word of Bishop Brent's conversion to the Fallows healing doctrine was received today in a letter which announced that he would visit Chicago soon to learn from Bishop Fallows the exact details of applying the new faith cure.

MAIL MAN IS BUSY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The last business day in the cancellation department of the postoffice for 1907 shows that a greater number of first-class pieces of mail were handled at the general office than on any other day within the history of the postoffice department at Chicago. From 8 a.m., December 31, 1907, to the same hour on New Year's Day, 2,612,827 pieces of first-class matter was cancelled.

FINDS LONG-LOST BROTHER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GALVESTON (Tex.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] James H. Stevenson, a millionaire mining engineer and land owner of Pueblo, Colo., was inspecting land in Meade county, Tex., yesterday, when he accidentally met Wilbur Stevenson, a farm laborer, who proved to be his own brother, whom he had not seen or heard from for forty years. Their mother died when they were little children, and their father deserted them after placing them in an orphan asylum at Cincinnati. Wilbur ran away from the institution when he was 13 years old, and fared badly in the world. James engaged as a clerk, studied engineering, went West and made a fortune. The brothers went West tonight.

PRIEST LIKES HIS BEER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ELGIN (Ill.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "I have beer in my cellar now, and I believe every pastor in town has." This statement, made yesterday by Father McCann in his sermon at St. Mary's Church, has caused considerable comment here. The priest further said he did not believe there was one in his whole church but would like to go to the saloon for a drink now. He severely criticised the local-option movement.

CAMERA THEIR UNDOING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Snapshot photographs of railroad employés drinking intoxicating liquors in saloons has caused consternation among hundreds of employés of the Louisville and Nashville and the Chesapeake and Ohio railroads. The first sequel to this crusade against the liquor habit which has been inaugurated by terminal officials has been developed today in the suspension of a number of trainmen and engineers.

BONI HITS RIVAL.

(Continued From First Page.)

correspondent, he was in high humor. Throwing back the lapels of his fur coat in order to better display one of his famous white silk waistcoats, he began the recital of the history of the story of his cousin, whom he painted in the blackest colors, declaring that Prince Helie had been ostracised by his own family, none of whom would permit him to enter the house.

Count Boni then proceeded to explain the episode and declared that it had nothing to do with Madame Anna Gould, but was the results of an old grudge between him and the Prince. He added that the Prince had not been invited to the ceremony at the church.

He was, therefore, surprised to find the Prince sitting there, three feet in front of him.

THE DEADLY INSULT.

Count Boni said he took no notice of the Prince during the service, which proceeded without incident until the elevation of the host, when the Prince rose.

"As he passed me," said Count Boni, "he jammed his hat on his head and looked insultingly at me, this within twenty feet of the altar. I immediately got up and followed him, and when I reached the vestibule outside I said: 'I have not given you your Christmas present,' and spat full in his face. He raised his cane to strike me, but I got in the first blow, opening his temple. We then closed."

Count Boni dramatically acted the part as he told his story, and declared, at its conclusion, that he had only resented what he regarded as an insult to himself and the church. He was convinced that the Prince, on account of his past career, would not dare to prosecute the complaint.

Prince Helie de Sagan, when seen by the Associated Press in his bedroom, could only account for what he termed a brutal and deliberate attack by Count Boni and Count Jean de Castellane, on the theory that Boni was a madman. He, therefore, could not appeal to the code, he said, but would let the case take its course in the criminal court. He declared that the attack was entirely unprovoked. He was sitting in another part of the church, far from Count Boni, and when he left as the service was concluded, Boni and his brother followed him out. As he reached the steps of the church he was seized by the shoulder, and, wheeling around, he found himself face to face with Count Boni, who uttered the words: "This is a Christmas gift, my child," and spat toward him.

THINKS BONI MAD.

When they closed, he said, after the first exchange of blows, his foot caught in his long, heavy overcoat. He tripped and fell on the curb, and it was then that Count Boni and his brother pounced upon him, kicking him and beating him with their canes. As it was evidently a concerted attack upon him, he lodged a complaint.

To prove the animosity of the Castellanes against him, he declared that even the Marquis De Castellane, Count Boni's father, who followed the party to the Police Station, said in the presence of all: "I wish I had been there, too, so I could have hit you."

Prince Helie said he regretted the incident principally because the name of Miss. Gould had been dragged into it.

"If the Count De Castellane's attack on me was caused by my visits to Mme. Gould," he said, "it seems strange that he objects to these visits now, when he did not object before the divorce."

The Prince said emphatically that he was not engaged to Miss. Gould. He said he would willingly fight a duel, if there was honorable provocation, incidentally mentioning his proficiency as a swordsman, but under the circumstances, he intended to allow the law to take its course.

ADMITS ESTRANGEMENT.

While there had been an estrangement between himself and Count Boni, he said, he had no reason to anticipate today's attack.

"If Boni desires to get me out of the way," he continued, "in order to effect a reconciliation with Anna, this his affair, not mine."

The affair has created a great sensation in Paris, on account of the notoriety and the high family connections of the parties concerned, and especially on account of Boni's prominence as an anti-Republican and an opponent of the church policy.

Prince Helie de Sagan is a grandson of the famous Duke, who for years set the fashion in Paris and concerning whom a hundred droll stories have been told. He has figured extensively in public gossip in Paris. A few years ago he attained notoriety by slapping Maitre Barboux during the trial of a damage suit brought by a prominent society leader, because it was publicly asserted that the painting, "Duke Woman in a Mask," exhibited at the Salon, was her portrait.

According to current gossip in Paris, Count Boni and the entire Castellane family are now convinced that Prince Helie de Sagan, despite the opposition of the Gould family, is seeking to marry Madame Gould. It is said that it was only recently that Count Boni abandoned hope of a reconciliation with his former wife.

BONI WRITES TO ANNA ALL ABOUT THE FIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After the violent family row, your correspondent interviewed Count Boni de Castellane at his house.

"The Prince de Sagan, whom I detest for private reasons, has the habit of presenting himself at various of the Sagan and Talleyrand assemblies, although every one turns his back on him. The Prince de Sagan was not invited to the church today. After the memorial service I was still seated when I saw the Prince de Sagan seated some little distance in front of me.

"After a time the Prince de Sagan got up, placed his tall hat on his head and marched past me. At the moment he was nearest me he pressed his hat still further down on his head, a deliberate insult in the sacred edifice in which we were and intended as such to me; meant too, as a provocation to me.

"I followed him outside the church door. There I tapped him on the shoulder and when he turned I spit in his face, saying: 'There is a gift which I owe you.'

"He raised his cane to strike me but I struck him with mine in the center of his forehead, drawing blood."

Count Boni immediately wrote to his former wife describing the affray. In this letter he quoted his remark at the moment he insulted his kinsman, as: "There is a gift my children owe you."

The Prince de Sagan said:

"If the attack was caused by my visits to Mme. Gould, it seems strange that he objects to these visits now when he did not object before the divorce."

The Prince emphatically declared that he was not betrothed to Mme. Gould. He said he would willingly fight a duel if there was honorable provocation, incidentally telling what an expert swordsman he is, but under the circumstances he intends to allow the law to take its course.

WHAT TO DO WITH RUEF IS PUZZLING OFFICIALS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Abraham Ruef, the former political boss, and what disposition to make of him, is again causing the District Attorney's office considerable concern. With the expiration of the term of Sheriff Thomas F. O'Neill next Monday, expires the ellisorship of William J. Biggy, at present Chief of Police, who was appointed ellisor a year ago by Judge Dunne, to keep Ruef in custody, the court alleging that O'Neill was not trustworthy.

Ruef has been kept in a private prison, surrounded by private guards, and has enjoyed many privileges. Judge Dunne has declared that, with the assumption of office by Sheriff-elect Lawrence J. Dolan, next Monday, he will send Ruef to the County Jail.

As the District Attorney's office has practically come to the conclusion that Ruef's testimony is necessary to insure the conviction of the several public-service corporation officials, it is believed it will be necessary to come to therefore, is said not to be in favor of sending Ruef to the County Jail, where terms with him, and the prosecution, Schmitz is at present confined. Under the ellisorship the prosecution has been able to say who shall and who shall not see the former political boss, but at the County Jail these restrictions could not be enforced.

Judge Dunne, however, declared today that regardless of the opposition of the District Attorney's office, he believed it his duty, now that a trustworthy Sheriff, who has not been disqualified, is to assume office, to transfer Ruef to his custody, and confine him at the County Jail the same as an ordinary prisoner.

The next of the bribery-graft cases will be the trial of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads, which is set for February 1.

The will of Leopold Vilsack, head of the Pittsburgh Brewing Company, filed at Pittsburgh yesterday, disposes of an estate estimated at between $5,000,000 and $6,000,000. To Catholic churches, hospitals and homes in that vicinity, are bequeathed $250,000. The residue of the estate is left in trust for the children.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ELKO, Jan. 2.—A frightful occurred in the west end of Railroad yards at 11:45 a.m. Two men were killed, three injured and eleven cars smashed to splinters piled up in terrible confusion.

The local freight, west-bound, standing on a side track was struck by eight train No. 1738. The engineer left his engine for a moment, and started up. The fireman was asleep in the tender, pinning coal to the fire, and, thinking the engineer was on the cab, paid no attention to the fact that the engine had started.

Train No. 1738 was pulling at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour. The engine and three cars ahead of the switch when the runaway struck the rear end of the freight and plowed through it and into the cars following.

Five tramps were in the caboose of the seventh car of the east-bound freight. Two of these were so badly injured that they could hardly be recognized as human beings. Another was killed outright, about the head and body; another had his hip broken, and the fifth escaped uninjured.

One of the men killed was O'Connell of Moore, Mont. The name of the other has not been learned. The engineer of the wrecker is clearing away the wreckage. Traffic will be tied up for about twenty-four hours. None of the trainmen were injured.

GRAFT PROSECUTION.

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LANGDON SAYS HE'LL PUSH BRIBERY-GRAFT CASES

Judge Lawlor Refuses to Release Glass on Bail Pending Hearing of Appeal When Jailer Says Prisoner Is Granted Many Privileges Not Comfortable Cell.

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Heney's appointment expires next Monday, when the new District Attorney assumes office. Langdon today further reiterated:

"You can state that there is not the slightest foundation for the report, and that Heney will be reappointed," said Mr. Langdon to the Associated Press. "The District Attorney's office will vigorously press the bribery cases and Heney will again have charge of the work of prosecuting them."

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T. C. Coogan, attorney for Glass, filed affidavits from eight physicians, including the former telephone official's own counsel at the County Jail, pending the preparation of papers for an appeal, declaring that Glass' health had been seriously impaired by his confinement and threatened to result in permanent injuries to him.

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Judge Lawlor ruled that counsel for Glass had failed to make out a case of "extraordinary circumstances" showing that the prisoner's health was seriously impaired or threatened, so far as to justify his release on bail.

AS COAST DEFENDERS.

Proposal Made to Have National Guard of Three States Act as Auxiliary Force.

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Student Who Was Suspected of Blackmailing Marshal With Libel and False Imprisonment.

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PACIFIC SLOPE.

UNPARALLELED TRAIN WRECK.

Locomotive Starts up With Its Engineer Absent.

Crashes Into Swiftly-moving Freight at Switch.

Two Killed, Three Hurt by Frightful Impact.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ELKO, Jan. 2.—A frightful wreck occurred in the west end of the Elko railroad yards at 11:45 a.m. today. Two men were killed, three injured and eleven cars smashed to splinters and piled up in terrible confusion.

The local freight, west-bound, was standing on a side track waiting for eight train No. 1723. The engineer of his engine for a moment, when it started up. The fireman was on top of his tender, passing coal to the front end, and, thinking the engineer was in the cab, paid no attention to the fact that the engine had started.

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Kleinschmidt charges that he was made victim of illegal acts while he was a prisoner.

PLAYS SHREWD TRICK.

Defeated for Mayoralty Nomination Last Year by Sly Politics, He'll Run Again.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Matthew Dow created consternation in the ranks of the supporters of Mayor W. H. Moore today by filing a declaration of his intention to run for the Mayoralty on the Seattle City Party ticket, the same ticket on which Mayor Moore is to run.

Two years ago Dow was a candidate for nomination as Mayor on the municipal ownership ticket and was the original choice of the convention. Friends of Mayor Moore engineered a new vote, however, and their cohorts tumbled out of the gallery in the convention hall and cast their votes for Moore.

Dow and his friends have been sore ever since. Dow is a contractor who stands high with the labor organizations and he also has many friends among the party leaders. The announcement of Dow's candidacy is the worst blow that has been dealt the Moore ambition since the campaign got under way.

WEARY WILLIES.

VAGRANT PLAN IS EVOLVED.

MAYORS OF ALL COAST CITIES INVITED TO CO-OPERATE.

Portland's Chief Executive Suggests That Each Municipality Care for Its Unemployed as Far as Possible and Compel Vagrants to Work Instead of Driving Them Out.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mayor Lane will appeal to the Mayors of other Pacific Coast cities to enter into an organization whose aim shall be to care for the unemployed, as far as possible and end the present system of driving the vagrant classes from one city to another. He will take up the subject as soon as he completes his annual message, in which he is now engrossed. He desires to secure the cooperation of all other Coast Mayors.

"The present system of shipping them from pillar to post is a bad plan," he declared today, "and it makes criminals of some who might under better treatment, be made valuable citizens. I hope to see cooperation between the officials of the large Coast cities, and hope they will investigate my plan, which is designed to bring about relief from this endless-chain proposition of keeping hobos moving from one city to another.

"The way police authorities order vagrants from our cities is absolutely high-handed and unconstitutional. It ought not to continue. We ought to devise a way to take care of these classes without driving them from our midst.

"I am strongly in favor of each city taking care of its own vagrants. We cannot stand it to have hoboes driven from all other points on the Coast, and that is just what I want to stop. Let each community furnish its vagrants with work. Let us arrest those who will not work, and make them work."

GOLDFIELD.

LONG, HARD ROW FOR UNIONITES.

MINE OPERATORS PLAN TO WEAR OUT WESTERN FEDERATION.

Labor Organization Driven to Desperate Measures to Hold Members in Line and Assess the Misguided Workingmen Who Are Affiliated. Idlers Draw $10 Daily.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GOLDFIELD, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The operators' association has adopted a policy of wearing out the Western Federation in the struggle for supremacy in this camp. Instead of importing non-union miners to work the mines, in place of striking union men, the operators are making no effort to resume operations on a large scale, and the only mine of importance that is being operated is the Combination.

The Combination Mill, the Nevada-Goldfield Reduction Works and a few of the smaller leasers are also working, but the reports that have been given out from time to time to the effect that there would be a general resumption have proved to be misleading.

The Western Federation has been driven to desperate measures to hold its men in line, as is evidenced by 10 per cent. assessment levied on all trades affiliated with the federation in Goldfield, including cooks and waiters, bartenders and porters. It is reported some of the striking miners are being paid $10 a day out of the funds of the local union to hold them in line.

The treasury of the local Miners' Union is sadly depleted, and even with the heavy assessment now being levied there will be no money with which to continue strike benefits after a short time, unless help is received from outside sources. Moreover, a wall of protest against the payment of the 10 per cent. assessment has been raised by the victims.

About 100 Federal soldiers will be returned to the Presidio at San Francisco tomorrow, leaving two full companies.

BEATEN BY HIS OWN SON.

Sardis Summerfield, Prominent Republican of Nevada, May Be Fatally Injured.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Attorney Sardis Summerfield, the leading Republican politician of this State, and who, up to a few months ago, enjoyed the largest practice of any lawyer in the State, was badly beaten by his son and his wife's sister last evening, after a family quarrel.

Summerfield, after much domestic unhappiness, a short time ago brought suit for divorce for infidelity. His wife left for California and returned only a few days ago. Last evening they quarreled, she slapped him in the face and he retaliated by putting her out of the house.

She went to the home of her sister, Mrs. Doughty, and told her story. Her son, Lester, a grown but crippled boy, started to the Summerfield home with Mrs. Doughty. They found Summerfield in his bath, and before he could get out they beat him severely, breaking three ribs and badly lacerating his scalp. Physicians today said internal injuries may cost the attorney his life.

GATES MAINTAINS REPUTATION.

"Swiftwater Bill" Ships First Auto Into New Camp and Impresses the Natives.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Swiftwater Bill" Gates has bobbed up again, gaining notoriety this time with the whirl of excitement he is causing at the new mining camp of Rawhide, with his reckless extravagance in spending money.

Bill shipped the first automobile into the camp, and with his touring car he started to show the residents how money can be spent with dispatch. Gates has shipped a twenty-stamp mill into Rawhide, and expects to start operations on the Swiftwater group of claims as soon as the machinery arrives. Until then he is putting in time making the miners believe what a successful spender he is.

Gates says Rawhide's only drawback is its lack of ladies, as it is hard to spend cash fast enough without women.

JAPS ARE ACCUSED.

THREE FIREMEN STABBED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2.—In the Police Court today, H. Nakashel, K. Tanguati and M. Tanowye, Japanese, appeared on a charge of attempted murder in connection with the stabbing of the three firemen on New Year's day. The accused were remanded, bail being refused.

Reports from the hospital this evening state that Richard Frost and George Anderson, two of the firemen stabbed, are doing well, but will not be out of the hospital for several days.

The third member of the fire department in the affray, Alexander MacDonald, was only slightly cut in the neck, and is able to be about.

UNDER HIS AUTO.

BUSINESS MAN KILLED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDDING, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The body of Elias D. Gardner, a prominent business man of Red Bluff, was found this afternoon beneath his overturned automobile on a fine stretch of road one mile south of Cottonwood.

The discovery was made by a cattleman riding the range. A broken coupling was the cause of the accident. The automobile made a half circle on the level road, and turned completely over. Gardner's skull was crushed and death must have been instantaneous.

Gardner was traveling alone on his way from Red Bluff to his large fruit farm near Anderson. He was engaged in general insurance, real estate and fruit buying business. He was a Mason of high degree and an Elk.

FINANCIAL.

BANKERS PLEAD FOR MORE TIME.

SECURE DELAY IN ANSWERING TO INDICTMENTS.

Bartnett's Excuse Is That His Counsel Has not Had Time to Properly Examine Grand Jury Return, While Brown Says His Attorney Is Absent—Treadwell in Jail.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The pleadings of Walter J. Bartnett, vice-president, and J. Dalzell Brown, general manager of the insolvent California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, on the indictment returned against each one by the grand jury charging embezzlement of the Colton estate securities valued at $208,000, was continued by Superior Judge Dunne today until January 3, at the request of the defense.

Oscar Cooper stated that counsel for Bartnett had not yet had time to properly examine the indictment and to consult with each other, while Brown asked for a continuance because of the absence of his chief counsel, Hiram W. Johnson.

Judge Dunne granted Bartnett an order permitting him to be at liberty today in the custody of deputies from the Sheriff's office, in order that he might attend a meeting of the directors of the Eldorado Lumber Company, one of the subsidiary companies financed by the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company.

James Treadwell, a director in the wrecked bank and well known in mining circles in this State and in Alaska, who is now in the county jail along with Brown and Bartnett on two indictments charging him with embezzlement in some loans, has not yet been able to secure bail. Dist.-Atty. Cook stated today that when the grand jury reconvenes it will continue its investigation of the affairs of the insolvent trust company, and he declared that it was probable that more indictments would be returned against officials and directors of the bank.

SECURITIES ARE GONE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The two contestants to the late Mrs. Ellen M. Colton have given up all hope of ever locating the missing securities. They met at the office of the safe deposit company. They went over all the books and records of the bank relative to the missing papers, and at the conclusion of their search announced that they had been unable to make any headway.

Attorney Thornton said afterward: "The securities are gone and we shall never find them."

DISCOUNT RATE DROPS.

BANK OF ENGLAND ACTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The directors of the Bank of England today lowered the minimum rate of discount to 6 from 7 per cent., which latter rate was established as a result of the recent American financial crisis.

Improved financial conditions in America, coupled with a better monetary situation in Germany, assisted the directors in their decision to remove the stringency rate of discount, which had handicapped the speculation for the past several weeks.

The effect of the reduction of the discount rate, however, already had been largely discounted on the London Stock Exchange as the basis of New York competition for Monday's gold arrivals and a sharp drop in discount rates foreshadowed an early decline in the official minimum rate of discount.

MAY RESTORE WAGES.

SMELTING OUTLOOK BETTER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HELENA (Mont.) Jan. 2.—Manager Smith of the Helena plant of the American Smelting and Refining Company today made specific denial of the story telegraphed from this city last night that he had said it was the intention of the corporation to close several more plants throughout the country.

What he said was that several smelters had been closed, reference being made to the Utah plants. He said that when normal conditions resume he would not be surprised if wages were restored.

The smelter employés here will hold a meeting soon to consider the matter of accepting the 10 per cent. cut or closing the plant by strike.

CIRCULATION INCREASES.

COMPTROLLER GIVES FIGURES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The monthly comparative statements of the Comptroller of the Currency shows that at the close of business December 31, 1907, the total outstanding circulation was $690,136,895, which is an increase for the year of $92,968,426, and an increase for the month of $23,512,499.

The circulation based on United States bonds amounted to $545,429,980, an increase for the year of $94,179,515, and an increase for the month of $23,-308,891.

The circulation secured by lawful money amounted to $46,676,996, a decrease for the year of $211,389, and an increase for the month of $808,808.

The amount of United States bonds on deposit to secure circulating notes was $640,786,480, and the amount of bonds on deposit to secure public deposits was $286,526,417, as follows: Panama canal, $20,518,500; consols of 1930, $38,200,950; certificates of indebtedness, $490,000; 2 per cents. of 1908-1918, $5,060,000; 4 per cents. of 1925, $4,-098,500; State, city and railroad bonds, $216,916,067; Hawaiian bonds $2,027,000; Philippine loans, $8,283,000; Porto Rico, $780,000.

RUN CLOSES BANK.

INVESTIGATION BEGINS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ROCKY FORD (Colo.) Jan. 2.—The State bank of Rocky Ford closed its doors today, following a run.

State Bank Examiner Beatty is making an investigation of the bank, which has been regarded as one of the soundest in the Arkansas Valley.

The liabilities of the bank exceed $300,000, and the assets are placed at over $525,000, mainly loans on high-grade farm lands in the vicinity.

The bank is capitalized at $30,000, and the surplus is $30,000.

The officers of the State bank are, president, J. E. Godding; vice-president, Senator Swink; cashier, E. H. Smith; assistant cashier, D. W. Barclay.

Neither of the other banks here has been affected by the suspension of the State bank. The officers of the State bank hope to resume business in a short time.

INTEREST RATE RAISED.

STOCKTON DEPOSITORS HAPPY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

STOCKTON, Jan. 2.—Stockton savings banks today announced to depositors that the rate of interest on long-term deposits would be raised from 3½ to 4 per cent. a year, and depositors are happy.

The raise was made by one of the banks on the ground that some others were paying that rate on the quiet, and it was decided to make it an open matter. Accordingly, all of the banks will meet the raise and depositors will make more money.

Business is good and there is a good call for money, which warrants the increase.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the New Amsterdam, J. H. Dickey; Belmont, E. W. Weston; Manhattan, D. Richardson, W. Pier, Waldorf, S. L. Frederick; Broadway Central, W. A. Kramer.

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POLITICAL.

TAFT HAS LONG LEAD.

Politicians Can See Only One Candidate.

Secretary Continues to Make Rapid Headway.

Favorite Sons Have Only Home State Backing.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the commencement of the Presidential year the politicians here at the national capital are trying to forecast what the next six months may bring forth.

They are trying to size up the Republican situation. All they can see is one national candidate—Taft—rapidly making headway as the representative of the administration, and a bunch of favorite sons, each with his State behind him, but without much following from other parts of the country. Already the politicians are figuring on the composition of the convention and the alignment of forces.

Senator Knox without question has the great Pennsylvania delegation of sixty-eight votes, Vice-President Fairbanks will have the thirty delegates from Indiana, and scattering from the South and elsewhere, Speaker Cannon is to get the fifty-four votes from Illinois. Senator La Follette will doubtless have the twenty-six delegates from Wisconsin. If we add the solid vote of New York, seventy-eight, to the favorite-son column and give them to Hughes (of which there must be doubt for some time to come,) here is a total of 354 votes tied up to the candidates of various States. The total is only a trifle over one-quarter of the entire convention.

VOTES BY STATES.

The apportionment of delegates to the Chicago convention follows:

Alabama	20	New York	78
Arkansas	18	North Carolina	26
California	18	North Dakota	8
Colorado	8	Ohio	46
Connecticut	14	Oklahoma	10
Delaware	6	Oregon	8
Florida	8	Pennsylvania	78
Georgia	26	Rhode Island	8
Idaho	6	South Carolina	18
Illinois	54	South Dakota	8
Indiana	30	Tennessee	24
Iowa	26	Texas	36
Kansas	20	Utah	8
Kentucky	26	Vermont	8
Louisiana	18	Virginia	24
Maine	12	Washington	8
Maryland	16	West Virginia	14
Massachusetts	34	Wisconsin	26
Michigan	28	Wyoming	6
Minnesota	22	District of Columbia	6
Mississippi	20	Alaska	2
Missouri	34	Arizona	6
Montana	8	Hawaii	6
Nebraska	16	New Mexico	6
Nevada	6	Philippine Islands	2
New Hampshire	8	Porto Rico	2
New Jersey	24		
Total			980

The best that can be said by the shrewdest political observers of this early date is that Secretary Taft has a long lead over the field and that it is going to be a most interesting struggle from now on.

GOVERNOR.

HUGHES'S CHANCE IS DWINDLING.

GOVERNOR SAID TO BE LOSING HIS STRENGTH.

Eastern Politicians Express Belief That New York Candidate Will Drop Out of Contest Altogether Unless He Makes Some Advances and Outlines His Policy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gov. Hughes's chances of securing the Republican Presidential nomination are rapidly dwindling, unless he makes some advances, declares himself to the men and outlines his policy, he will drop out of the contest altogether, such is the opinion of eastern politicians now in Washington.

Republican politicians are becoming tired of the attitude of Gov. Hughes, from which they do not know whether he is in the race. They say they do not propose to attempt to force the nomination upon him. He is regarded as the coldest and most unapproachable proposition in political life, and because the politicians are unable to secure his confidence and know nothing about his intentions and his policies, they are sharpening their knives for him.

Owing to the diffidence of Gov. Hughes, there is now grave doubt as to whether he will have the New York delegation to the Republican National Convention. Representative Bennett of New York, who visited the White House today, practically stated that Hughes will not receive the indorsement for the nomination at the next meeting of the Republican committee of New York county on January 18. When pressed for a statement as to what action the committee will take, Mr. Bennett said:

"Representative Parsons will have as many friends at the next meeting of the committee as he did at the last, and whatever he wants done will be done."

This statement means that Parsons will prevent the indorsement of Hughes, as he did at the last meeting, after it had been planned that it should be done. Parsons is opposed to Hughes, and favors the nomination of Secretary Taft. So does Representative Bennett, who is the lieutenant of Parsons.

TAFT MAY WIN IOWA.

If Shaw Does not Decide to Enter Race Chicago Library Will Get State's Delegates.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa), Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In case Leslie M. Shaw does not decide to ask his friends to enter into the contest for the Iowa delegation to the national convention, it seems probable that the delegation will support Taft, though there may be some leaning towards Hughes.

Although the first conventions will be held in March or early in April, there has been but little evidence of stump-making thus far. For delegates-at-large the progressives have suggested "Tom" Healy of Fort Dodge and Congressman Lane of Davenport. Both of these men, however, are prominently connected with the railroads, and the latter, while classed as a progressive, is supporting Allison.

As "stand-pat" candidates for delegates-at-large, three names have been suggested: George D. Perkins of Sioux City, Congressman Walter I. Smith of Council Bluffs and "Lafe" Young of Des Moines. For district delegates but little has been said. Former Congressman Lacey probably will be a candidate for the Sixth, and W. O. Payne of Nevada for the Seventh.

If the progressives win, it is understood that Gov. Cummins will head the delegation, with "Tom" Healy as one of the delegates-at-large.

FOR TAFT.

FORAKER LOSES FIRST SKIRMISH.

SENATOR MAKES FURIOUS FIGHT BUT LOSES.

Ohio Republican State Committee Adopts Programme Which, If Carried Out, Will Leave Little Opposition to Taft in Buckeye State. Rump Convention Threatened.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COLUMBUS (O.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In spite of the furious opposition of the friends of Senator Foraker, the Taft forces in the Republican State Committee today put through a programme which, if carried out, will leave little of the opposition in Ohio to Secretary Taft.

The State convention is to be held here March 3 and 4. It is to be made up of delegates to be selected by primary elections to be held in all the counties on the afternoon of February 11. Except in Hamilton and Cuyahoga counties, where it is believed the Taft forces are overwhelming, the counties are to elect their delegates at large instead of by wards and townships. This will prevent the election of an occasional Foraker delegate in places where the Senator has a strong following.

It is made possible to have the delegates designated on the ballot by the name of the candidate for the Presidency that they stand for, and they will no doubt be so voted for in all the counties. The springing of "phony" tickets is prevented by requiring that Taft and Foraker voters for their respective delegations before they are admitted to the ballot.

The Foraker men are saying tonight that the rules will be disregarded, and if their delegates are not seated there will be two State conventions and two delegations to Chicago.

TAFT GOING TO NEW YORK.

Secretary Accepts Invitation from "the People's Institute" to Speak in Cooper Union.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secretary Taft will speak at Cooper Union, New York, January 10. He accepted today an invitation from "The People's Institute." The invitation was signed by a personal friend, who is not connected with the institute, but who wrote it in his behalf.

Secretary Taft had not this evening decided upon the subject of the speech. He said the invitation did not indicate a subject, and that he would have to think it over. As this will be really the opening of the Taft campaign in New York, the metropolis may count on hearing Mr. Taft's ideas on subjects that will be campaign issues.

The Secretary saw the President today before the luncheon hour, remained to luncheon at the White House and continued the conference an hour afterward. He said this had been his first opportunity to go over the real business of the War Department with the President. He had not talked politics, but had discussed vacancies in the Philippine Commission, a new brigadier-general and the question of what shall be done with officers in the recent test rides. On none of these questions was an agreement reached that can be announced by the Secretary at this time.

HARMONY ON TAP.

Bryan's Hope Will Be Realized at Banquet to Be Given by Chicago Jefferson Club.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the Bryan banquet to be given by the Jefferson Club next Wednesday in the Auditorium will fulfill all W. J. Bryan's hopes of harmony is proved by a list of prominent guests made public today by President Masters of the club.

Roger C. Sullivan, Mr. Masters announced, will be among the Chicago guests, and State Chairman Boschenstein, L. W. Springer, former candidate for Governor, Judge Owen Thompson and Millard F. Dunlap of Jacksonville will sit at the same table.

The appearance of Mr. Sullivan and his erstwhile opponents at a Bryan banquet will be a final sealing of the peace pledge made by Bryan at the Iroquois Club's luncheon December 6.

BOOM OF CANNON.

"UNCLE JOE" ON EXHIBITION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Uncle Joe Cannon's boom has been on private exhibition in this city for the last two or three days. Representative James S. Sherman of Utica, one of the strong Cannon men in Congress, is the exhibitor, and it is understood that his eloquent presentation of the fine points of Cannon's candidacy has been fully appreciated by several local Republican leaders who were fortunate enough to receive invitations.

A more general exhibition of "Uncle Joe's" qualifications will be given in this locality at an early date for the benefit of the public, not to mention "Uncle Joe"—if it is found that local sentiment is favorable.

POLITICAL BRIEFS.

Republican League to Meet.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Republican League will be held at the Republican Club, New York, January 22, for the purpose of fixing the time and place for the biennial convention of the league.

HARDEN STILL ILL.

Editor Unable to Appear in Court and Closing Scene Is Delayed Another Day.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—The closing scene of the Harden-Von Moltke libel suit was not enacted today because Harden was again too ill to appear in court. The court's official physician was sent to the Harden residence and verified the fact of his illness.

The prosecutor asked the court to conclude the proceedings in Harden's bathroom. The suggestion was rejected and court adjourned until tomorrow.

The Tageblatt affirms that Emperor William has decided to restore Count Kuno von Moltke to active service and give him a high position in his entourage.

WASHINGTON.

JAPAN MAKES AN AGREEMENT.

Promises to Prevent Emigration of Coolies.

President Will Veto Any Exclusion Act.

Friendly Communication Received from Tokio.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japan has agreed to take rigorous measures to prevent the emigration of Japanese coolies and other proscribed classes to the United States, and in the future the Japanese government will refuse to issue papers or passports to its subjects permitting them to depart from Japan to this country.

In return for this action, President Roosevelt has agreed to veto any legislation enacted by Congress forbidding entrance to the United States of Japanese. This agreement was made so as not to wound Japanese pride, which would be deeply humiliated by such legislation, as the effect would be to place the Japanese on the level of the Chinese coolies, and would be a severe blow to Japan in the eyes of European nations and of its own people, whose ideas of caste and equality are very strong.

Secretary Root today received from Ambassador O'Brien a reply to the suggestions made by this government to Japan as to the methods that should be employed to prevent Japanese coolies entering the United States. The reply is entirely satisfactory to the American government, and is of the most friendly tone.

Shortly after the trouble in San Francisco over the question of barring Japanese from the schools attended by the white children, an agreement was made between Japan and the United States by which Japan contracted to bar its subjects, except scholars, merchants and travelers, from the United States. After the agreement went into effect, thousands of Japanese entered the country by means of fraudulent certificates. Secretary Root took up the matter with Viscount Aoki; but the Ambassador's attitude was so unreasonable that it was impossible to make any progress.

It is significant that within three days after Aoki's departure the two governments reached an agreement of a question which has caused much friction, and for a time threatened to bring about war between the two nations because of the agitation and bitter feeling engendered by the discussion of this subject.

CURRENCY LAW POSSIBLE.

House and Senate Committees Begin to Get Interested in Work of Preparing Measure.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—With the approach of the reconvening of Congress, there is renewed talk of financial legislation.

The House and Senate committees will both resume sittings on the subject, and it now looks as if there might be something of rivalry between the two committees as to which will present a bill.

While the House committee is apparently inclined to what is known as an asset currency, the Senate committee is proceeding on the theory that only a very limited list of securities should be accepted for the increase issue to be provided for in the bill.

So far there has been no agreement as to the percentage of increase in the volume of the currency, but the inclination of Senators seem to be to permit as large an augmentation as the conditions of the banks justify.

Senator Bailey expressed the opinion today that if the bill to be suggested by Republican members reasonably approaches the demands of the Democrats, it will be permitted to pass without extended opposition. He declined to give his view of what its character should be.

REACH DANGER POINT.

Diverting of Army Regulars to Isthmus of Panama Depletes United States Forces.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The War and Navy departments are trying to reach an agreement by which the marines are to be withdrawn from the Isthmus of Panama and two regiments of infantry are to be sent to take their places as guards.

This diverting of army regulars to a new field will mean that the forces in the United States are to be depleted beyond that which officers believe to be the danger point.

An army officer who knows conditions tells the Times correspondent that in case of emergency there would be less than 7000 infantry who could be brought with anything like dispatch to any threatened point within the limits of the United States proper.

COIN STOCK GROWS.

BIG INCREASE IN YEAR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The semi-annual provisional statement issued by the director of the Mint shows that there has been a gain in the stock of gold and silver coins in the United States since June 30, 1907, of $115,495,326 as follows:

Gold coin, $109,507,722; silver coin, $9,176,775.

The total stock of gold and silver coin in the United States January 1, 1908, was $2,160,156,979.

NATIONS AGREE.

Tariff Arrangement Between America and France Is Practically Completed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The finishing touches were today added to the draft of an agreement between America and France under section 3 of the Dingley Act, which has been in preparation for nearly a year past.

M. Jusserand, the French Ambassador, called at the State Department today to discuss the details of this arrangement, and it is expected that it will be promulgated from the State Department in a day or two.

Pending its signature, the details are withheld, but it is known that the concession made by America is the abatement of the existing duties on French champagne by 20 per cent, while France remits maximum duties on American cotton seed oil, certain classes of machinery and other commodities.

TARIFF FOR PHILIPPINES.

BEET SUGAR MEN INTERESTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Chairman Payne of the Committee on Ways and Means will call a meeting of his committee on Monday or Tuesday to decide upon a date for hearing on the Philippine tariff bill.

Mr. Payne had intended to begin the hearing the coming week, but he has received a request from Mr. Humphreys, representing the beet-sugar interests, urging that they be delayed until the third week of this month.

GRINDING OUT MONEY.

MINTS ARE AT WORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The report of the director of the mint, shows that the coinage executed at the mints of the United States in December amounted to $16,787,848, as follows: Double eagles, $15,275,650; eagles, $8,350,000; half eagles, $650,170; quarter eagles, $166. Total gold, $13,659,175. Silver, $3,774,770; minor coins, $63,904.

In addition 1,634,000 pieces were coined for the Philippine Islands.

RENT STRIKERS.

SOCIALISTS JOIN IN SHOUTFEST.

FIVE THOUSAND STRIKING TENANTS PARADE.

Participants and Others Are Harangued by Peace-Disturbers. Branch of United Teamsters' Union Votes to Refuse to Haul Goods from Premises Ordered Vacated.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five thousand East Side rent strikers took part tonight in a demonstration against landlords and marched through the streets near Rutgers Square, shouting, "Down with the rent leeches."

Led by a truck filled with speakers of the Socialist party, the striking tenants marched from Rutgers Square to other open spaces in the district, and every place the truck stopped a few minutes and there were speeches. When the driver was ordered to move on by the police the truck would be driven to another corner and there another meeting would be held till the police again interfered. By the time the demonstration was ended by the arrest of the driver, fully 5000 persons were following the truck. The managers of the demonstration had outwitted the police.

Two hundred landlords, who refused to reduce rents, met in No. 177 East Broadway tonight and effected a temporary organization. Officers were elected and plans were laid for the raising of a $50,000 fund to fight the strikers. The meeting was called by Israel Lewis, one of the heaviest real estate holders of the lower East Side. He said that since the strike began he had collected only a few dollars from the tenants. Because Socialists had spoken in the meeting, the landlords deemed it unwise to do anything except organize and set a date for another meeting. However, many of the house owners uttered strong sentiments.

There will be no teamsters to move the goods of the striking tenants on the East Side, if notices are served on them, according to an announcement today from the strikers' headquarters. It was said that one local branch of the United Teamsters' Union had already passed a resolution to refuse all dispossession business, and that others would soon follow.

The Anti-High Rent League now claims to have organized the occupants of over 1000 houses, and to have secured reductions so far for 250 tenants.

OBITUARY.

James Gardner Stowe.

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Jan. 2.—James Gardner Stowe, Consul-General to South Africa from 1897 to 1901, and one of the best-known manufacturers in the United States, died at his home here today, aged 65 years. Col. Stowe came of an English family and was a brother of Baron Stowe, founder of the famous Stowe library of London. He was appointed Consul-General to South Africa by President McKinley. Through his efforts trade between the United States and Africa was increased to such an extent that when he tendered his resignation, because, as he stated, of the inadequate compensation attached to the post, American manufacturers and African merchants petitioned the President to refuse to accept the resignation and allow them to make up the deficiency.

A. Darwin Smith.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—A. Darwin Smith, editor of a cooperative journal in Oakland, killed himself last night by cutting his throat with a razor. He was 40 years old.

Rev. William N. Page.

LEAVENWORTH (Kan.) Jan. 2.—Rev. W. N. Page, the oldest Presbyterian minister in this city, died at his home here Wednesday, aged 73 years. At the recent Los Angeles General Assembly of his church Rev. Page was elected vice-moderator. He was a schoolmate of Secretary of State Root. He leaves a widow and three children.

Henry C. Clark.

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Jan 2.—Henry C. Clark, an old-time theatrical man, died at his home here Wednesday of acute gastritis and bronchial pneumonia. Mr. Clark was one of the youngest soldiers in the Civil War, having enlisted in the heavy artillery when he was only thirteen years of age. After the war he started in the theatrical business in Chicago, and he once performed a song and dance with Eddie Foy. Clark came to Kansas City in 1877 and amassed a fortune. He leaves a widow and five children.

Charles Herman-Leon.

PARIS, Jan. 2.—Charles Herman-Leon, the noted animal painter, died here Tuesday. He was born in Havre, July 22, 1831.

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65c Bed Sheets 45c.
Full double size sheets, 81x90, with flat seam centers, marked to sell at 65c, 8 to 9 a.m., each 45c.

75c Dress Goods 25c
Fine wool suiting, dark and medium shades; best colorings, marked to sell at 50c and 75c. 8 to 9 a. m., yard 25c.

9 to 10 a. m.

10c Outing Flannel 5c.
Plain colors in soft fleecy outing flannel; marked to sell at 10c, 9 to 10 a.m., yard 5c.

15c Stockings 8 1-3c.
Women's fine black cotton hose, full maco foot double sole; marked to sell at 15c, 9 to 10 a.m. 3 pairs for 25c, or pair, 8 1-3c.

10 to 11 a. m.

12c Shirting Flannel 9c.
Good heavy shirting flannel, in checks and stripes; worth 12c. 10 to 11 a.m., yard 9c.

$1.25 Hand Bags 75c.
All leather hand bags, made on steel frames with inside pocket and purse, worth $1.25. 10 to 11 a. m., 75c.

11 to 12 m.

12c Flannelette 6½c.
Heavy quality flannelette, in light and dark colors, worth 12c. 11 to 12 o'clock, yard 6½c.

$1.25 Blankets 97c.
11-4 size, heavy fleece blankets, white, tan or gray; worth $1.25. 11 to 12 o'clock, pair 97c.

12 to 1 p. m.

Men's 75c Shirts 39c.
Men's negligee shirts of good quality madras, percales and oxford cloth; best of patterns; light and dark colors; worth 75c. 12 to 1 p.m., each 39c.

50c Dressing Sacques 25c.
Women's flannelette dressing sacques and kimonos; figured blue, red, black and gray; worth 50c. 12 to 1 p. m., each 25c.

1 to 2 p. m.

12½c India Linon 5c.
Fine sheer quality India linon; marked to sell at 12½c. 1 to 2 p. m., yard 5c.

$1.00 Lace Net 69c.
Lace allovers and nets, 36 to 44 inches wide, in cream or ecru; choice of our entire line selling at 65c and $1.00, 1 to 2 p. m., yard 69c.

2 to 3 p. m.

$1.75 Taffeta Silk $1.35.
Guaranteed good wearing black taffeta silk, 36 inches wide; our regular $1.75 quality, 2 to 3 p. m., yard $1.35.

$1.25 Table Cloths 89c.
Fine quality mercerized table cloths, 61x64 inches, hemmed ready for use; worth $1.25. 2 to 3 p.m., 89c.

3 to 4 p. m.

95c Pillows 79c.
Sanitary cured pure feather pillows, with best feather-proof covering; worth 95c. 3 to 4 p.m., each 79c.

Children's 25c Undervest 19c.
Light weight cotton ribbed vests and pants for children from 3 to 12 years; worth 25c, 3 to 4 p.m., each 19c.

4 to 5 p. m.

Men's 15c Sox 8 1-3c.
Men's fancy silk embroidered sox, black or brown; the quality that always sells at 15c. 4 to 5 p. m., 3 pairs for 25c, or pair, 8 1-3c.

25c Burnt Wood 10c.
Stamped basswood novelties—glove and handkerchief boxes, plaques, frames, etc.; worth 15c to 25c. 4 to 5 p.m., choice 10c.

5 to 6 p. m.

$1.65 Bed Comforts $1.23.
Fine quality bed comforts with best sheet cotton, covered with fine silkoline; full size; worth $1.65. 5 to 6 p. m., $1.23.

Women's 50c Underwear 29c.
Gray fleeced ribbed cotton combination suits, long sleeves and ankle length; worth 50c. 5 to 6 p. m., each 29c.

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15c Adams' Talcum.....7
25c Wampole's Antiseptic Tooth Powder.....13
10c Castor Oil.....5
25c Witch Hazel Jelly.....13
50c Bay Rum (pt.).....25
25c Tube Ideal Cold Cream.....13
25c 4 gr. Lithia Tablets.....13
10c Tincture of Myrrh.....5
25c Rose Water.....13
40c Cream of Tartar, lb.....19
5c Senna Leaves.....3
10c Bertelo Acid.....5
10c Perfection Tooth Picks.....5
35c Shaving Brush.....17

BASSWOOD FOR BURNING 1-4 off. Dozens of practical pieces in novel artistic designs for burning. All will go today at 1-4 less than my regular low prices.

15c COMBS 9c. Ladies' extra quality dressing comb, 9 inches long; strong, well shaped teeth. It's a special value at 15c. Today 9c.

25c STATIONERY 17c. High-class fancy box stationery—linen bond and Scopia. Choice of several styles in prettily decorated boxes. Today 17c.

15c PETRO JELLY 11c. It's just like vaseline, only a good deal cheaper; has a hundred and one uses in every home. Big half lb. jar, today 11c.

35c HAND SCRUBS 19c. Made in Japan; backs are solid, bristles are pure white. Good sizes even at 35c, today 19c.

25c VIOLET AMMONIA 13c. For the toilet and bath it is delightful. It gives the water a refreshing, delightful perfume and softness that makes the bath more delightful. Today 13c.

75c AND $1 PAPER WEIGHTS 37c. Bulldogs in silver and brass. Artistic and useful. A sensational price today 37c.

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25c WOOD ALCOHOL 15c.

$1.00 HAIR BRUSH 77c. An exceedingly high-grade brush; has solid ebony backs; is wire set; long genuine white bristle. You know the quality and the value. It's an unusual snap at 77c.

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$1.00 MASSAGE CREAM 67c. It's the well-known and popular Queen Louise massage cream—best article of its kind on the market for beautifying the form and the complexion. Today 67c.

75c ALCOHOL STOVES 57c. Splendid heaters, will burn 2½ hours. Every home ought to have one for emergency cases. These come complete ready for use. Today 57c.

15c TOOTH BRUSHES 9c. Choice from any of our 25c tooth brushes; dozens of them. Extra quality bristle; well drawn in. Many styles—all styles. Any 25c one today 9c.

1 OZ. PERFUME 13c. Fancy packages of "Royale" Perfume in glass stopper bottle. It's an extra high-class perfume. Comes in all fashionable odors. A very dainty package, today 13c.

50c FACE POWDER 37c. It's La Grande, the popular French Rice Powder; comes in cream, white and flesh; absolutely pure. Regular 50c, today 37c.

35c FEATHER DUSTERS 25c. 14 inches long, made from fine feathers; well bound and serviceable. Some 35c ones in the lot of the 35c ones. All today 25c.

$4.40 Papillian Hand Bags $2.15

The very latest bag out and practical, too; have big alligator mouth-like opening; come in pig, calf and seal—in black, tan and green. Very smart. Extra special today $2.15.

$1.75 Hand Bags $1.27

The double strap handle kind. Distinctively new; have outside and inside coin purses and outside pockets; come in black, brown, champagne and tan. Regular $1.75 today $1.27.

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MANY TRADES IN AGREEMENTS.

Outlook Is Peaceful in New York Building Work.

Employers Conclude Arrangements With Men.

Wages to Remain the Same as Last Year.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—There is little chance of strikes this year among the building unions. The employers have signed agreements with a large number of the men, and in cases where agreements have not been concluded arrangements are under way. The following are the trades with which agreements have been signed, and the number of men in each union:

	Members
Amalgamated Woodworkers	3500
Bricklayers and Masons	1600
Elevator Constructors	3000
Tilesetters	600
House Shorers and Movers	1200
Hoisting engineers	800
Electrical Workers	6000
Journeymen Stone Masons	3000
Marble Cutters	2500
Marble Polishers	1500
Plain, Ornamental Operative Plasterers	5000
Modelers	500
Woodcarvers	900

The following statement was issued in behalf of the Employers' Association:

"Many of the unions are satisfied to renew their agreements at the old wage rates, hoping that in the new year matters will improve in the building industry. At present the outlook is bad. We may have a poor building season this year. The mechanics, like the employers, can only hope that the stagnation will not last long. The arbitration agreement having been effective in the matter of the prevention of strikes, the employers have decided not to reduce wages. The workers as well are desirous of the continuance of the present harmonious conditions in the building industry. The arbitration plan has reduced strikes to a minimum, and both sides feel that arbitration agreements should remain."

These unions have failed as yet to make agreements with the employers, the difference being over working conditions and the use of non-union material:

	Members
Carpenters	18,000
Metal Lathers	1,500
Sheet Metal Workers	3,000
Plumbers	2,800
Cement Workers	2,000

Among the organizations continued under the arbitration agreement are the painters, who number about 12,000, and the 3500 members of the housesmiths and Bridgemen's unions.

OPEN SHOP WAR BEGINS.

Builders' Exchange of Seattle Throws Down Gauntlet to Unionites and Is Out to Win.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two hundred men employed in various departments of the building trades struck this morning as a result of the open shop policy put into effect by the Builders' Exchange today.

The majority of the men have been working for firms doing decorative iron work, but some of them have been employed on buildings. The leaders of the labor unions have issued a public statement, in which they declare the employers have broken faith by violating the provisions of an agreement entered into a year ago. The Builders' Exchange says it has 300 men on its application list for work as the result of the first day's business of its employment agency. The members of the exchange say that they have no desire to cut wages, but stand only on the open shop policy.

Leaders on both sides admit there is pending the most serious industrial struggle in the history of the city. The employers say, however, that it is the workingman who will suffer, as enough skilled men are available to prosecute work on all buildings under construction.

Shoe Manufacturers Fail.

BUFFALO (N. Y.) Jan. 2.—Receivers were appointed today for T. J. Richardson & Co., Elmira shoe manufacturers. The liabilities are said to exceed $225,000 and the assets are about $200,000.

FLASHES FROM WIRES.

A dispatch received at St. Petersburg from Tiflis says that scurvy has broken out among the native population in the province of Erivan, which, like other sections of the Caucasus, suffered severely in 1907 from a poor harvest and resultant famine. The crop outlook in European Russia is growing steadily worse.

At Fort William, Ont., twelve Doukhobor pilgrims started out New Year's day without clothing for one of their strange marches through the streets. They were finally rounded up by the police. Seven men and five women were in the party, and they marched half a mile in scanty attire before being stopped.

TO MANAGE VINEYARD.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prof. Frederick T. Bioletti, whose work in the department of viticulture in the University of California has won for him a name throughout the State, severed his connection with the university on the first of the year in order to take a position at the head of a large vineyard in Ventura county.

For some years he has been assistant professor of viticulture and is well known as the author of various treatises on the culture of the vine.

Mance Holm, a graduate of the University of Copenhagen, Denmark, will succeed him.

GOES BENEATH WHEELS.

OAKLAND, Jan. 2.—Capt. Charles P. Nelson, port captain in San Francisco for the Matson Navigation Company, was run over by the Southern Pacific seventh-street local train today and received injuries from which he died soon afterwards.

Capt. Matson attempted to board the train at Seventh and Adeline streets, when he slipped and fell underneath the wheels.

He was about 50 years of age and had been on shore duty a year. He formerly commanded the steamship Santa Clyde of the Matson Navigation company's fleet.

ROAD HAS DEFICIT.

(Continued From First Page.)

the Seaboard Air Line Railroad at Richmond today, are bankers of this city. Mr. Williams is a member of the banking house of Middendorf, Williams & Co., and Mr. Warfield is president of the Continental Trust Company.

Mr. Warfield, who is a director of the Seaboard Air Line, was chosen to represent the majority interests in the property, while Mr. Williams will look after the affairs of a considerable minority, led by his brother, John Skelton Williams, of Richmond.

The receivership will have a far-reaching effect in Baltimore, where the securities are more largely held than in any other trading center, not excepting New York. The bond issues placed on the property since it has been merged into one system aggregate $32,785,000, of which amount it is estimated nearly $25,000,000 is held here.

Baltimore bankers declare that there is no necessity for nervousness on the part of the bondholders over the receivership action. If they will take the announcement coolly, and quietly await developments, it is declared, it will be much more to their ultimate advantage than to rush into the market now to sell.

Persons close on the inside of the property are outspoken in the opinion that security holders, both stocks and bonds, will benefit. These say holders of the underlying bonds need not get the least alarmed over the safety of the securities nor have any fear of default at any time in the interest. One of the assets of the seaboard is the Baltimore Steam Packet Company, better known as the old Bay line. The operations of this line, it is stated, will not be affected by the receivership.

WOMEN BANKERS.

DEPOSITS SAFE UNDER OLD LAW.

BANKER PLEDGES FORTUNE FOR GOOD OF INSTITUTION.

Discovers Unrepealed Statute in Missouri and Files Affidavit With City Clerk—Financial Concern Has Eleven Women Out of Fourteen Officials and Employes.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JOPLIN (Mo.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By observing an ancient and unrepealed law, Thomas Cunningham, president of the Cunningham National Bank, a new Joplin financial institution, has pledged all his real and personal property to secure the payments of deposits.

The almost forgotten statute provides that affidavit made by a banker and delivered into the keeping of a City Clerk becomes binding and irrevocable. Mr. Cunningham has made an affidavit that he will convert his property into cash if need be.

The new bank began operations today by absorbing the Bank of Joplin, one of the unique financial institutions in the State. It was capitalized at only $25,000, but had deposits of almost $1,000,000. The new institution has a capital of $2,000,000. All persons connected with the new bank, with the exceptions of Mr. Cunningham and his vice-president and the janitor, are women. The force numbers fourteen.

REDLANDS HOSTELRY OPENS.

Tourist Hotel, Much Improved, Swings Open Its Doors for the Season.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

REDLANDS, Jan. 2.—La Casa Loma, the tourist hotel, swung open its doors today for the season of 1908 with bright prospects for the year. La Casa Loma is now a part of the Linnard hotel system. The resident manager is H. H. Hake, a Denver hotel man of twelve years' experience.

In the summer and autumn no less than $50,000 was expended in enlarging, altering and improving La Casa Loma, and such great changes have been wrought that one can scarcely imagine it to be the former hotel. The former office, parlor and ladies' writing room have been thrown together into one big reception room connected by means of graceful domes and arches and Corinthian pillars. The entire apartment is stained a dark brown, the floors are strewn with Oriental rugs, the furniture is of weathered oak, and the electrical fixtures are of dull brass. One of the charms of this apartment is the great broad fireplace opposite the entrance.

The halls, corridors and sleeping apartments have all been newly painted, papered, decorated and furnished. The five large sunny suites opening onto the front piazza of the second floor are known as the McKinley and Roosevelt suites, as both the late President McKinley and the present Chief Executive have delivered memorable speeches from this same piazza.

The hotel opened in an entirely informal way today, there being no attendant function. An excursion party from Los Angeles, numbering fifty, arrived shortly before noon for luncheon, the first meal to be served in the renewed hotel. In the afternoon several guests who had been awaiting the opening of the hotel, arrived and registered. A ladies' orchestra under the direction of Miss Eastman, a violinist, will furnish music throughout the season, having begun their duties today. Miss Lorna Doone Hake added to this evening's pleasure by rendering a group of songs.

The formal opening of the hotel will take place Monday evening, January 20, at which time there will be an elaborate musicale which is being arranged by Tom Karl, of Estonian fame. This will be followed by a ball.

BISHOP TO SPEAK.

Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Conaty, Bishop of the Catholic diocese of Los Angeles and Monterey, has been secured for the principal speaker of the forthcoming annual banquet of the Redlands Board of Trade to be held at La Casa Loma Tuesday evening, January 14. It is expected that there will be covers for 500 guests, including the heads of numerous commercial organizations of Southern California. The committee on arrangements consists of Lyman M. King, E. S. Graham and F. P. Mesarve.

BOOM FOR JOHNSON.

New York "World" Says Minnesotan Will Poll 100,000 More Votes in Two States Than Bryan.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The World, in editorial, says that Johnson will poll 100,000 more votes in New York and New Jersey than Bryan, and commends him in strong terms.

With a 5000-word interview and sketch carried today, it looks as though the Johnson boom for the Democratic nomination had opened its headquarters under big auspices.

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GOV. CURRY IS IN HIGH FAVOR.

Charges Filed With Senate Are Withdrawn.

His Services to New Mexico Now Realized.

Wins Over President to His Statehood Views.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA FE (N. M.) Dec. 31.—It is learned from an authoritative source that the charges filed with the Senate Committee on Territories against Gov. Curry to prevent confirmation of his appointment have been withdrawn.

This means that Curry's appointment as Governor of New Mexico, made by President Roosevelt in June last, will be speedily confirmed upon the convening of Congress.

While the executive and his closest friends never for a moment worried as to what the final outcome would be, yet they were nevertheless much chagrined to think that any attempt would be made to belittle him.

Gov. Curry, since he assumed the gubernatorial office, has secured more for the Territory during the eight months he has been Governor from the departments at Washington than any previous executive did during his entire term.

Chief among these accomplishments has been the great progress made and the many difficult obstacles overcome in the fight for early Statehood for the Territory. Gov. Curry is centering his whole efforts in the Statehood cause and as he has stated in public speeches it will be his greatest ambition to vacate the office of Governor of the Territory for the Governor of the State of New Mexico.

WINS OVER PRESIDENT.

In the Statehood fight, Gov. Curry began at the top by winning over President Roosevelt. He secured the President's approval of the plan early in the fall while both were attending the Inland Waterways Convention at Memphis. The Chief Executive pledged himself to use his influence to further the cause.

Gov. Curry, during his last visit to Washington early in December, persuaded the Department of the Interior to restore to entry thousands of acres of rich agricultural lands which had been withdrawn from entry under the homestead laws and set aside for forest reserves. The restoring of these vast tracts of land to entry gave an impetus to immigration, no less than one thousand settlers taking up the lands within two weeks after the restrictions had been removed. In this work the Governor was ably assisted by Delegate to Congress Andrews.

"Another thing for which the people of New Mexico have Gov. Curry to thank is the recent withdrawal from the Territory of the horde of special agents of the General Land Office, and the special assistants to the Attorney-General of the United States, who, in an effort to make a showing and a name for themselves, were securing the indictment by special Federal grand juries of every corporation and its officers engaged in lumbering or mining, on charges of conspiracy to defraud the Federal government out of vast tracts of valuable timber and coal lands.

So repugnant did the methods of these Federal agents become that Gov. Curry took matters into his own hands, and accompanied by Judge Fall, then his Attorney-General, he made a special trip to Washington a month ago to "have it out" with the President, Atty.-Gen. Bonaparte, Secretary of the Interior Garfield and Land Commissioner Ballinger.

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10c Bleached Bath Towels 6 1-4c

6c Hemmed Huck Towels 3c

20c Table Oil Cloth From 8 to 9 ..... 8 1-3c

Sample Body Brussels 1-4 of a 9x12 Rug $2.98

Travelers' samples, ¼ section of a 9x12 body Brussels rug. The whole rug would sell regularly at $30 to $35; these measure 4½x36 feet; easily worth $7.50 to $9.. Oriental and floral patterns. While they last, Friday, third floor, $2.98.

$5.00 Sanitary Steel Couch $3.98

All steel sanitary couch that can be adjusted into a comfortable bed. Other stores ask $4.50 for this grade; the best on the market. Our regular price $5.00. Not from the bankrupt stock, but a Friday bargain from the third floor.

$1.50 Blankets 11-4 Size ... 98c

200 Dozen Handkerchiefs Bright New Stock 2c

Remnants Curtain Swiss 2 1-2c

49c Water Pitcher 4 Quart, Blue and White ... 29c

19c Salad Bowls in the Basement 12½c

$3.75 Gas Radiators Bronze or Aluminum Finish $3.45

25c Vests For Women 15c

High-neck, long sleeve, jersey-ribbed vests, white; regular 25c garments, from the bankrupt stock, aisle 6, Friday, 15c.

Crepe Paper 10c Quality 5c

From 15 to 20 shades here to select from. Stock of Desser & Lifrand reinforced by our own stock; regular 10c grade, aisle 5, Friday, 5c roll.

Odd Laces 8c to 19c Values 5c

Broken lines of Vals, torchons, clunys, some chantillys, orientals and Mechlins, odds and ends; edges and insertions; 8c to 19c values; for the bankrupt sale, 5c yard. Aisle 2.

Men's 10c Socks 5c

Fast black, seamless socks for men, splendid value at 10c. No phone or mail orders. Bankrupt stock price, aisle 7, 5c a pair.

Waist Patterns $4, $5 and $6 .. $2.98

4 yards fancy silks, in plaids, stripes and checks. Some that we cut for the holiday trade; $4, $5 and $6 values, choice Friday, $2.98 pattern.

Remnants Dress Goods Values to 75c 15c

1 to 10-yard lengths of plaids, checks, plain colors and mixed suitings. Some pieces worth 75c. Every one a bargain. While they last Friday, aisle 10, 15c a yard.

Panne Velvet 49c and 75c Quality 19c

Panne velvet in red, cerise and yellow; regular 49c and 75c values, while they last, Friday, aisle 10, 19c a yard.

The Swine and the Flower

Oh me! I saw a huge and loathsome sty,
Wherein a drove of wallowing swine were barred,
Whose banquet shocked the nostril and the eye;
Then spoke a voice, "Behold the source of LARD!"

I fled, and saw a field that seemed at first
One glistening mass of roses pure and white,
With dewy buds 'mid dark green foliage nursed;
And as I lingered o'er the lovely sight,
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Stanford's President Ready to Prove or Retract.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DETROIT, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Coach Yost of the University of Michigan, in an interview today, flatly denied the charge of President Jordan of Leland Stanford University that Yost offered G. W. Gregory of California $1500 to enter the University of Michigan. Yost brings forward a telegram from Gregory substantiating this denial.

"For five years I have endured without reply the aspersions of President Jordan," said Yost. "It seems to me that the time has arrived when I must demand that Dr. Jordan produce some sort of proof for the numerous statements he has made challenging my personal integrity and methods.

"Dr. Jordan states that, while George Gregory was in the Washburn preparatory school at San Jose, Cal., there came an offer from Yost, through a local agent, of $1500 to begin with, if he would enter Michigan. Gregory accepted and went."

Yost says: "I will make this offer right here. I will give $1000 to any charitable institution in Detroit that Dr. Jordan may name if he can prove there is one word of truth in this statement. It is understood that I simply give Dr. Jordan an opportunity to vindicate the proof of any such statement, as my records of two Detroit friends asked him for the name of my agent in the Gregory matter. Dr. Jordan replied that he had no thought of reviving old issues, but will now place all information with Pezzotto for fullest investigation, that he cannot make public the source of information without permission.

DEMANDS PROOF.

"A perusal of the reply shows that Dr. Jordan has offered absolutely nothing in the way of proof. Dr. Jordan has no proofs. Proofs do not exist of offenses that were never committed. Such false statements as those made by Dr. Jordan have poisoned the minds of many prospective students of athletic ability. They may perhaps be pardoned for drawing the inference that some one is in waiting with open hand on every corner of every campus to help them through their university course. Perhaps it is but natural that they are disappointed when they find that such conditions prevail largely in the imaginations of such men as the president of Leland Stanford.

"My denial is backed up as strongly as I can make it. I have a telegram from Gregory in which he says:

"Seattle (Wash.) Dec. 21.—To F. H. Yost, Detroit, Mich. You never offered me $1500 nor any part thereof to enter Michigan.

[Signed] "G. W. GREGORY."

"Dr. Jordan has also assailed the scholastic eligibility of Martin Huston and Ralph Rose. Huston entered Michigan as a graduate of San Jose Normal, from which institution Leland Stanford admits graduation not only without examination but also with a full semester's credit.

"Rose entered Michigan on his high school diploma and Michigan deserves credit for dropping a man who holds seven world's records and this without protest from any one. President Jordan fell flat when requested by the A. A. U. for proof of Rose's professionalism."

JORDAN'S REPLY.

WILLING TO MAKE GOOD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. David Starr Jordan says that he believes his information on the Gregory case is correct for he learned what he has given out from persons to whom Gregory talked, according to a dispatch from Riverside. He says that if those persons will permit him to use their names and information he will give all the evidence in his possession to President Pezzotto of the P.A.A. He prefers to give no opinion as to the value of the alleged evidence but will put it up to President Pezzotto to judge when all the testimony is laid before him. Dr. Jordan gave out the following signed statement:

"Riverside (Cal.) Jan. 2.—As already stated to the press, my account of the Gregory case was given at Chicago about 1902 at a meeting of athletic representatives at the request of the Michigan delegate who was bitterly attacked in Michigan. But I remember of no attempt at investigation or disapproval. To me Yost merely insisted, so far as remembered, that the Stanford team coached by him was all straight. The present revival of the old issue was unintentional on my part but now the matter should be sifted to the bottom. If my information is incorrect I shall make what amends I can. I shall lay the whole matter in the hands of the Pacific Athletic Union and abide by President Pezzotto's decision, but investigation takes time and evidence readily accessible five years ago is now scattered. The point is that Gregory was induced to go to Michigan by promise of money, whether paid or not, presumably a sinecure for nominal service.

[Signed] "DAVID S. JORDAN."

Jockeys Successful.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Joseph Richards, the Detroit jockey, who has been riding successfully in Russia, returned to America on the steamer Finland yesterday. Richards says there were six successful jockeys in Russia last summer, he himself having won forty-seven races out of 400 starts. Prices, he says, have fallen since the Japanese War. Before that time the jockey usually received $25 for each winner he rode, and $12 when his horse failed to show. Now the price has fallen until it runs from $16 to as low as $4.

Duck Hunters Inactive.

Too much New Year's celebration evidently had a bad effect on the duck hunters, for but six or seven went down to the preserves yesterday to shoot. The Recreation Club was the only one that reported, and on this were J. Kurtz shot twenty-seven, Loon Moss, thirty; O. Morgan, seventeen, and O. Morgan, Jr., twenty-five.

Game Called Off.

The indoor baseball game between the Los Angeles Athletic Club team and the Newsies aggregation, has been called off because the Athletic boys failed to show up last night. The game was to have been played at the Athletic Club.

RIVERSIDE POLO GAME.

Maj. Rose Scores Goal One Minute After Ball is Put in Play at Center of Field.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It a polo game that was more closely contested than the result would indicate, the Reds of the Riverside Polo Club defeated the Whites by a score of 6 to 2 yesterday afternoon. The game took place on the grounds of the local club at Chemawaya Park, and was witnessed by a large number of spectators.

The game was played in four periods of ten minutes each. Maj. C. C. Rose was the star player for the Whites. One of the goals for his side was made by him in a spectacular drive, in which only a minute elapsed from the time the ball rounded at the start of the period until he had sent the ball across the field and safely between the goal stakes.

Polley made the second goal for the Whites.

Robert Lee Bettner did brilliant work for the Reds and had strong assistance from the other players of the team. W. L. Roberts, H. G. Patten and M. E. Flowers. The Whites comprised Maj. Rose, back; F. D. Hudson, No. 1; W. R. Polley, No. 2, and A. Holden, No. 1.

In the gymkhana events, Maj. Rose and W. L. Roberts won the stick and ball contest. The hurdle race was won by Hutsen's pony, "Tony," ridden by A. Holden.

THREE-CUSHION BILLIARDS.

Entries Close Today for Tourney That Begins at Morley's Rooms on Monday Night.

Entries close today for the big three-cushion billiard tourney that will begin at Morley's rooms on South Spring street next Monday night, and the contest will doubtless prove an exciting one, for all of the best amateur players in this city have entered. There are eleven on the list at present, and it is expected there will be several more before tonight.

There will be no entrance fee charged, but every loser will have to pay for his games. Three good cash prizes are offered for the first three men, and also a prize for high run. Those entered up to last night were Steve Hays, E. R. Morse, Bob Lacey, Jay Davidson, Jimmie Pearne, Jack Bayne, Jack Bradner, F. R. Clayton, Homer Milsap, Joe Driesbach and A. Clark. The games will begin each night about 7:30 o'clock.

Rube Smith Wins.

SALT LAKE, Jan. 2.—Charlie Williams of Rock Springs quit at the end of the ninth round in his scheduled twenty-round fight yesterday with Rube Smith of Denver. Smith was usually the superior throughout, knocking Williams down in the fourth and eighth rounds and punishing him considerably with a straight left.

MAGNATES READY.

FOUR CLUBS THIS SEASON.

Officials of Coast League Cannot See Six.

Will not Break Into Outlaw State Circuit.

Sunday Morning Games May Be Tried at Venice.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Baseball magnates who will represent their various clubs at the annual meeting of the Pacific Coast League tomorrow are gathered here. Judge McCredie is here from Portland, and Henry Berry from Los Angeles. C. W. Pendleton, also of the Los Angeles club, will arrive tomorrow morning, and the outside delegates will be reinforced by Ed M. Walter of Oakland; F. M. Ish of the San Francisco club; President J. Cal Ewing and Secretary D. W. Long. Although the question of a six-team league is to be given consideration, judging from the views of the men who are already on the ground, the Pacific Coast League is likely to continue along the old lines with four clubs. While a majority of the delegates agree that six teams would be preferable, they feel that to take in cities that would not be self-supporting would weaken their organization.

Henry Berry will champion the cause of the Los Angeles business men who want a team in Venice, so that Los Angeles might have practically continuous ball. While there is little question that Los Angeles could support continuous ball, the trouble is to find the sixth city. The directors are averse to breaking into any of the cities occupied by the State League, and they doubt whether Stockton, Sacramento or San José would support a club in this league.

So far as Venice is concerned, it has been suggested that a ball park be built, and that for the next season the men interested try the experiment of Sunday morning games at the beach. If a success, it would nurse along the project, and quite likely in another year there could be a full-fledged club organized.

There is nothing to the talk that has been revived of amalgamating San José, Stockton and Sacramento in one club.

FIRST PRACTICE.

HIGH SCHOOL'S TRYOUT.

The Los Angeles High School baseball team held its first tryout yesterday afternoon. Almost twenty men turned out to try for a place on the nine. Although their new material is good, six of the last year men have practically secured their places on the squad, and in a few days the other three positions no doubt will be decided. Beamer will pitch and captain the squad.

The prospects are bright for the best season the school has had for some years, and a large schedule has been arranged to include a game for almost every week.

Coach Middelton of the Lick High school in San Francisco has expressed his willingness to take the local boys to his city for a game in the middle of the season.

Charley Hall Signs.

Friends of Charles Hall, the Ventura pitcher, who was with the Cincinnati club last year, will be pleased to know that he has signed with the Cincinnati club this year. The owners of the clubs along the Columbus franchise and if Hall does not make good in the big club, he will be used in the smaller ones.

WINS ONE, LOSES ONE.

Pasadena Y.M.C.A. Basketeers Lose and Win from Pomona and Whittier.

Two basketball games were played at the Pasadena Y.M.C.A. gymnasium Wednesday, in the morning game, the Whittier College team won from the Y.M.C.A. five by the score of 45 to 39. Two of the Pasadena regular players were not in the line-up, and as they did not appear for the evening game with Pomona, the Pasadena Hospital Association five played, winning from the collegians by the score of 32 to 13. The hospital team was largely composed of Y.M.C.A. players.

The morning game, with Whittier, was very close and the result was in doubt until the last few minutes of play. Whittier had the advantage with better team work and won out. The Pasadena players showed well individually, but with a makeshift five could not win from the crack college players. Twenty-minute halves were played.

The stars of the contest were Murphy, Pasadena's tall center, and Sharpless of Whittier. A good crowd saw the game.

In the evening contest, Pasadena ran away from Pomona. Clever individual work by the Pasadena team bested the Pomona players, who showed inexperience and could not get together.

In the first game the line-up was:

Whittier.		Pasadena.
Sharpless	forward	Flanders
Renneker	forward	Collier
Clark	center	Murphy
Blair	guard	Nichols
Marshburn	guard	Thompson

Referee, Radcliffe; umpire, G. W. Braden. Field goals, Flanders 1, Sharpless 5, Murphy 9, Tyler 2, Marshburn 1, Renneker 9, Clark 3. Free throws, Murphy 9, Sharpless 5.

Pasadena lined up with Pomona as follows:

Pasadena.		Pomona.
Murphy	forward	Richards (c.)
Flanders	forward	Neals
Tyler	center	Gore
Thompson	guard	Lorbeer
Nichols	guard	Parker

Salt Lake Beats Nome.

SALT LAKE, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Nome's basketball five was defeated by the Salt Lake Christians yesterday by the score of 38 to 25, before a crowd of 1000 persons. The game was close and exciting, but the local five outclassed the team from the far North. The Arctic Brotherhood team will play a return game with the Christians tomorrow, and on Friday and Saturday will meet the Provo and Larrune teams.

Close Golf Play.

The contest for the cup offered by the directors of the Los Angeles Country Club is furnishing some of the most exciting golf play seen in this end of the State for months. It has now narrowed down to Rev. Baker P. Lee and E. O. Robinson, who have already played fifty-four holes and are still even, playing thirty-six holes yesterday afternoon and ending all square.

SPORTING COMMENT ON TIMELY TOPICS.

Excessive Scoring of Horses.

The great fault to be found with harness-racing is the great amount of scoring made necessary by the jockeying of the drivers in starting a heat. This was a tiresome "feature" of the Christmas matinée of the Los Angeles Driving Club in what otherwise was a fine card. The horses scored for a start a half dozen times, in some instances. There were times when all the horses in the race scored evenly until a length or two before the wire, when one would break, spoiling the start. To the man in the stands it seems only fair that in such a case the horses should be sent away and he the one that broke take the chances. In fact, it might be a good rule to try to get the horses away at the first attempt if they are fairly aligned. If a horse breaks, it is his own fault, for it is part of the race to get a good start. Surely the other entries should not be put to a disadvantage because of a bad actor which cannot get its feet properly and so going an advantage over the others to a fresh start. If such a rule were adopted, it is safe to say that the drivers would get down to the wire in pretty fair order. A horse need not be disqualified for a break, but before reaching the wire, but it should be permitted only its just opportunity.

Six-Day Bicycle Races.

The six-day bicycle race should be abolished in the cause of humanity. The recent six-day race in New York caused the death of one man and the injury of several others, and all of the athletes were more or less debilitated by the heart-rending grind. One half of the men had to quit for one cause or another, most of them through injuries. These who not been held a six-day race in which there have not been accidents. The race presents little of athletic value save tests of endurance, and the long grind is nerve-racking on the spectators, as well as the riders. There is to be another race in January at Kansas City. There may be another death, and surely there will be injuries.

No-Decision Battles.

Under the new boxing ordinance there will be no decision possible in the next fight, which is to take place January 8. This sort of milling is an innovation in Los Angeles, but the conservative fight fans believe that it will prove very popular. The "year" has come from the gamblers, who want some sort of a decision to base their bets on. The average fan goes to a fight to see the battle, and not to simply learn of the result. He has opinions of his own as to the winner, and oftentimes the decision of the referee is directly adverse to his. At such times the decision sours him, and his enjoyment of the bout is lessened. With no decisions, many disagreeable features are eliminated.

PRESLEY KNOCKED OUT.

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George Presley, coach of the Stanford Rugby football team, was taken to the General Hospital here yesterday, suffering from appendicitis. Surgeons have been in consultation on his case all day and tonight a statement was given out that not till tomorrow would it be possible to determine whether a knife will have to be used. The disease is expected to reach most acute form early tomorrow morning.

Presley is in fine physical condition. Surgeons declare that should an operation be necessary there will be absolutely no question about the results being successful. He is resting easily tonight. If the operation takes place he will be forced to remain in the hospital for several weeks.

OPPOSED TO RACING.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Men interested in racing in New York State express considerable surprise at the stand taken by Gov. Hughes in his message to the Legislature on the racing question.

It is the general opinion that the Governor will be unable to secure the passage of a bill which will entirely wipe out betting at race courses. Many go so far as to blame the agitation to the poolroom interests, against whom the racing clubs have waged bitter warfare, and who are now said to be anxious to get even with the clubs who have broken up the pastime business by driving out racing altogether.

It is pointed out by the advocates of racing that the agricultural associations of the State will fight any bill doing away with betting, as they are the beneficiaries under the 1 per cent. tax levied on the racing clubs. The revenues from this source have increased enormously in the last eight years, rising from $67,000 in 1900 to $302,000 in 1906.

In eight years the eleven racing associations in the State have paid in his tax, $1,694,362.

Racing at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 2.—City Park results:

Three furlongs: Shane won, Fairfist second, Roseburg II third; time 0:36 2-5.

Steeplechase, short course: Pell of Fire won, Flying Flower second, Dacre third; time 3:06 4-5.

Five and a half furlongs: Rural Boy won, Variety second, Lavisnor third; time 1:08 4-5.

Six furlongs: Climber won, The Beach second, Emergency third; time 1:16.

Nine furlongs: Juggler won, Old Honesty second, Halbard third; time 1:58 2-5.

One mile and three-sixteenths: Doubt won, Bellevior second, J. D. Dunn third; time 2:02.

Fierce Cricket Match.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Australia has won the fiercest test match of the series of the five cricket games which are to be played this winter with the English team now in Australia. The game was played at Sydney and extended over six playing days, from December 13 to 19. The totals were: England, 372 and 32; Australia, 366 and 278 for eight wickets.

Plays Sixteen Games.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Jacques Mieses of Leipsic, the famous chess player, played sixteen games simultaneously yesterday, against some of the best New York players. He won thirteen games and lost two, the sixteenth being a draw.

Much Easy Money.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The exact receipts of the Moran-Attell fight were $12,540, less by $1000 than the estimate given. This gave the fighters $6000 each.

Welsh After Moran.

Jimmy Welsh, the claimant best entitled to the bantamweight championship, is looking for a match, and is willing to take on Owen Moran in Los Angeles should the latter be defeated by Abe Attell. Welsh has been beaten three times by Attell, and figures that it would be impossible for him to get a match with the champion if he wins, while Moran would go after the legitimate feathers if he scored a victory.

Duluth is having a 300-foot ski hill built by the Northland C. C. It is to be very steep, and, when fully completed, will be about seventy-five feet in width. Half of the hill will be used for skiing and the other half will be devoted to the toboggan enthusiasts.

Philip F. Kramer of Portland, Or., a locomotive engineer in the employ of the Isthmian Canal Commission, was murdered at Paraiso, during the night of December 15. Robbery is the only motive assigned. A daughter lives in Portland.

MAY WHITEWASH BALL.

ATHLETIC COMMITTEE TO ACCORD HEARING.

BERTRAND BALL, the former Harvard School student who has been suspended by the Southern California committee of the P.A.A., is to receive a belated hearing before the commission this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, at the Angelus Hotel.

G. W. Braden, a member of the commission, said yesterday that it had not been intended to take action against Ball before hearing his side of the local case, for the suspension of the local committee was sent for approval to the Registration Committee at San Francisco with the recommendation that young Ball be summoned from Stanford and be asked to give his defense. Ball spoiled this plan by coming to Los Angeles to visit his folks during the Christmas holidays.

When Ball heard of the action of the committee he called upon Commissioner Braden at Pasadena, and the latter claims he assured Ball that he would receive a fair hearing, and the meeting this afternoon will consider his case.

Braden asserts that the by-laws of the A.A.U. give the commission the power temporarily to suspend members on evidence or even rumor produced, without first hearing the defense. Then if the defendant presents his case, permanent action will be taken; if not, the commission may act on the evidence as presented.

It is asserted that the commission had affidavits from persons believed by them to be reliable which made a strong case against Ball. Ball claims the charges were trumped up through spite work.

It is very probable that President Pezzotto will pass on the case finally. He was to have come to Los Angeles this afternoon, but word from San Francisco last night states that he had changed his plans and would not be here until tomorrow morning.

A meeting of the new Pacific Southwest Athletic Association, in process of formation, is to be held in the Chamber of Commerce building tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at which it is proposed to effect permanent organization. President Pezzotto is expected to be present and address the association. Delegates from all the amateur athletic institutions are to be present.

Promoters of the scheme are sanguine of success and believe that by the end of next season 500 names will be on the rolls. The Venice Volunteer Life Saving Corps has filed out fifty blank applications for registration. The San Fernando Athletic Club has sent in ten, and others are preparing to send in lists.

AT BAT AGAIN.

NELSON AND SCALER MATCHED BY M'CAREY.

BATTLING NELSON and Kid Sealer have been matched by Manager McCarey of the Pacific Athletic Club to fight here January 14, in a ten-round go for a share of the gate receipts.

This fight is to be a try-out for Nelson by his own wishes, in order to ascertain if his fights with Gans and Britt have sent him back in the pugilistic ranks.

Joe Thomas and Jack "Twin" Sullivan are to meet in Los Angeles the latter part of January at a date yet to be set. Thomas left San Francisco last night and expects to train at Santa Monica for the battle.

The Barry-Langford match probably will not be pulled off. Flynn will not get a chance with these men either, as he failed to show up in San Francisco to do business with McCarey, who returned to Los Angeles yesterday.

George Memsic weighed in last night in private before two officers of the Pacific Athletic Club and according to their statement barely balanced the beam at 133 pounds. It was asserted that Memsic had been in the baths but fifteen minutes but others claim that he went through a rigorous sweating out process lasting through most of the twenty-four hours previous, to make the weight.

Memsic's condition is now said to be first class but some believe he will be weak because of having to reduce so much in ten days. Manager McCarey said that if Burns had not made the weight he would have declared their match off and substituted Langford and Barry who were willing to go on for another ten rounds. Barry has been in light training but Langford has been taking it easy, yet claims he could put up a good exhibition.

The fight tonight promises to be pretty even. Memsic is supremely confident that he can beat Murphy, and has been training hard for the contest. He is below weight and in first-class shape. Many who have seen him fight are willing to wager on his chances.

Danny Webster is in great shape for his fight with Kid Bell. Although he is below the weight of 122 pounds, he is hard as nails. The Colorado colored boxer, who came near beating Freddie Weeks, is a good fighter, and it should be hammer and tongs between them.

Jake Arnold and Young McGee, Jimmy Austin and Kerry Patch are to furnish the other preliminaries.

PHILADELPHIA BOUTS.

MEN CHASED FROM RING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Young Kleby of Lawrence, Mass., put up such a wretched exhibition against Young Loughrey of this city in the principal bout at the National Athletic Club yesterday afternoon that the club put on another bout between Austin Rice of New Britain, Ct., and Phil Griffo. The latter pair fought fast, with honors in favor of Griffo.

Tommy Sullivan of Lawrence won from Jack Robinson of Chicago, who was knocked down in the fifth round and was in distress several times. Tommy O'Keefe outpointed Jimmy Dunn of Newcastle, in the fastest fight of the afternoon.

Young Pierce of this city this afternoon knocked out Billy Berger in the first round at the Wayne Athletic Club. Pierce's final blow was a right swing on Berger's jaw, which sent the latter clean through the ropes. Of the other four bouts, three were knockouts and one was a case of quit in the first round. Thirty pounds were scheduled, but owing to the knockouts only ten rounds were fought.

MORAN'S DEMANDS.

UPPER HAND OF ATTELL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Owen Moran's manager said tonight:

"We want first to get a return fight with Attell, but Owen will not agree to 122 pounds ringside. He demands 122 pounds four hours before the fight. If Attell will not agree to these terms then we will try to get a fight with Tommy O'Toole or Jimmy Walsh. It must be clearly understood that Moran will not agree to 122 pounds ringside."

This ultimatum by Moran's manager ends the chance of a return fight with Attell, as Abe insists on ringside weight.

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Tasser, the winner of the fifth race was beaten over nine lengths in his previous race, and Godfather, winner of the first race, was left at the post in his last race, and beaten nine lengths in the race before that. Chippewa, winner of the third race, was the hot favorite in his previous race, and was beaten over two lengths of seven furlongs, in 1:25 4-5. Today he was easily by over two lengths in 1:25 1-5.

The race on which the sports drove most of the money, and which made them wink at any criticism, was the third, in which were Nimbus, Bill Bee and Canique. Almost all of the money on but went on these three, but none of them were near the front of the finish. Chippewa was at 6 to 1; Wright was second, at 10 to 1, and Nimbus was third, at 20 to 1.

One good thing that went through was the today. Rose Queen, in the second race, who was backed from 6 to 1 to 4 to 1, she is surely a good horse, for she won in a romp by four lengths, in the fast time of 0:50 1-5 three furlongs. She was heavily played by a few of the "wise" brigade, to the majority of the cuckoos had to Heather, and made this one the favorite. Many of the others were nibbled at, but had no chance with Rose Queen. Results:

Five furlongs, purse: Godfather, (Rowe.) 9 to 5, second; Hillcrest, (Moriarity,) 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:01 1-5. Round and Round, Oregana, Chief, Decorator, Gold Bar, Sweet Memories, Cruzity, E. A. Curtis, Blue Domino and Lovers F. also ran.

Garrick and Voltaire entered.

Three furlongs, purse: Rose Queen, 107 (Preston,) 4 to 5, first; Achieve, 107 (Dugan,) 5 to 1, second; May Dinsmore, 107 (Spiegel,) 6 to 1, third. Time, :34 1-5. Queen Grey, Banthet, Annie Wells, Mattie Rose, La Reine Hindoo, Sweetest and Cheerful also ran.

Seven furlongs, selling: Chippewa, 107 (Rowe,) 6 to 1, first; Nimbus, 107 (Wright,) 10 to 1, second; Bill Bee, 107 (Dugan,) 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:25 1-5. Tasser, Lady Ellen, Lady Ellis, Lady Lightfoot and Lady Lorraine also ran.

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Mile and a quarter, selling: Invictus, 101 (Ross,) 20 to 1, won; Big Bow, 102½ (Schilling,) 6 to 5, second; Al Sheridan, 101 (Dugan,) 2 to 1, third. Time, 2:07 1-5. El Primero, Cambyses, Bogum, Gentle Harry and Pay Me also ran.

Arcadia Entries.

First race—Selling, five and a half furlongs:

67	El Bernade 101
....	Marian Rose 101
113	Confessor *105
128	Giovanni Balerio 107
128	Paul Clifford 104
(109)	Halton *99
118	Alleviator 109
42	Num's Veiling 99
121	Nonia Lucille 105
106	Progress 110
(91)	Hereafter 106
....	Rustling Silks *100
98	Governor Orman 107
108	Scarfell *106
....	Gonzales 91
54	Creston Boy 104

Second race—Selling, six furlongs:

119	Green Goods *99
....	China Lily 107
37	Jake Ward 107
116	Barney Oldfield 94
123	Mansard 107
123	Lee Harrison II 104
129	Interlude 107
116	Gaga 94
139	Wisteria 106
67	Bushwhacker 107
94	Kurogatkin 107
127	Catherine F. *97
127	Baboo 92

Third race—Selling, one mile:

109	Parain 103
117	Prince of Orange *97
26	Bell Chamber 102
133	Rubinon 107
96	Myrtle H. 100
86	Sir Russell 107
123	Silverskin 102
....	Prestolus 107
....	Pressias 100
98	Toiler 103
....	Dansio 107
134	Matador 105
109	Audubon 102
....	Broadaxe 107
....	Bill Curtis 107
....	Selina 100

[illegible] race—Purse, seven furlongs:

....	Sherbery 113
....	Sugar Maid 110
....	Settler 97
....	 115
....	 112
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[illegible]—Selling, six furlongs:

....	M 93
....	Shaw *107
....	Adelaide 92
....	 112
....	 103
....	Easy Muss 113
....	..... *105
....	 97
....	Belle *104
....	Spring 112
....	 112
....	Norfolk 112
....	Sharp Boy 112

Fifth race—Selling, seven furlongs:

103	Lisbon *99
139	Don Hart 104
....	Balmride 104
97	Blacklock *101
108	Winsome Ways 104
117	Bellmence *101
80	Bon Vivant 106
113	Bazzini 106
124	Lucky Lad 109
121	Master Lester 109
130	Banlade *99
119	Dulcimea 101
81	Blondy 109
108	Korodiany 104
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Surprise of the Day Is Victory of Old Dog Invictus at Juicy Odds. Card Is Very Poor One and Sports Have Hard Time Guessing Winner—Baby Runs Fast Race.

It was bookmakers' day to a certainty at the Arcadia race track yesterday, and the net result of the day was that one lone favorite landed in the money, and the gambling talent received some very hard knocks, only two horses that figured to be in front finishing as good as second. Some things that ran up to form in previous races performed like cows yesterday, and had about as much speed as a water wagon.

A mix-eyed crowd of sports went to the track, and the card offered was a very ordinary one, four cheap selling races, a scramble for maidens and a gallop for the baby racers, making up the list. From the appearance of things, there was but one race run to win, and that was the fourth, in which Lee Harrison II was the victor of the solitary favorite of the afternoon.

The bettors certainly had the time of their lives in trying to guess the right ones, and very few of them did. The fields were large and cumbersome, and composed of such a poor lot that even books were worse than useless for some ways won that will probably never win another race during the meeting. This is probably the concerning the old dog Invictus, who won the last race at 20 to 1, from the two well-played nags Big Bow and Sheridan. Invictus wins at least one race every year, and some of the sports thought that yesterday was to be that last appearance in front, but days ago he was beaten eight lengths in the same kind of a race, and in about the same time that he won yesterday, by one length.

Dazer, the winner of the fifth race, was beaten over nine lengths in his previous race, and Godfather, winner of the first race, was left at the post in his last race, and beaten nine lengths in the race before that one. Chippewa, winner of the third race, was the hot favorite in his previous race, and was beaten over two lengths at seven furlongs, in 1:25 4-5. Yesterday he won easily by over two lengths in 1:25 1-5.

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The good thing that went through was the baby, Rose Queen, in the second race, who was backed from 6 to 5 to 1. She is surely a speedy one, for she won in a romp by six lengths, in the fast time of 0:24 1-5 for five furlongs. She was heavily played by some of the "wise" brigade, but the majority of the unwise bet on Sandy, and made this one the post favorite. Many of the others were backed at, but had no chances with Rose Queen. Results:

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Mile and a quarter, selling: Invictus, 101 (Ross,) 20 to 1, won; Big Bow, 102½ (Schilling,) 3 to 5, second; Ed Sheridan, 101 (Dugan,) 2 to 1, third. Time, 2:07 1-5. El Primero, Cambyses, Bogum, Gentle Harry and Pay Me also ran.

Arcadia Entries.

First race—Selling, five and a half furlongs:

47 El Bernado	101
... Marian Rose	101
119 Confessor	*105
132 Giovanni Boleria	107
128 Paul Clifford	107
(108) Halton	*95
118 Alleviator	109
42 Nun's Veiling	99
121 Nonin Lucille	105
105 Progress	110
(91) Hereafter	104
... Rustling Silks	*106
99 Governor Orman	107
106 Scarfoll	*108
... Gonzales	91
94 Creston Boy	104

Second race—Selling, six furlongs:

130 Green Goods	*99
... China Lily	107
87 Jake Ward	107
116 Barney Oldfield	94
122 Mansard	107
128 Lee Harrison II	104
129 Interlude	107
116 Gage	94
139 Wisteria	100
67 Bushwhacker	107
94 Kuroatkin	107
127 Catherine F.	*97
127 Baboo	93

Third race—Selling, one mile:

109 Barato	102
117 Prince of Ovango	*97
58 Bell Chamber	102
122 Rubinon	107
66 Myrtle H.	100
66 Sir Russell	107
123 Silverskin	102
... Prestofus	107
... Pretense	100
88 Toller	105
... Dennio	107
124 Matador	105
109 Audubon	107
114 Menasdor	110
... Bill Curtis	107
83 Salina	100

Fourth race—Purse, seven furlongs:

111 Waterbury	112
(128) Sugar Maid	110
(127) Old Settler	97
113 Lizaro	115
107 Eduardo	112
125 Sir Edward	115

Fifth race—Selling, six furlongs:

116 Lonia	92
124 Connie M	93
(126) F. E. Shaw	*107
76 Lady Adelaide	92
... Cinnibar	113
93 Durbar	106
(106) Money Muss	113
... Juliette	*106
76 Astoria Belle	97
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109 Misitia	114
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109 Lisbia	*99
139 Don Hart	106
... Sainrida	104
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108 Winsome Ways	104
117 Bullmoose	*101
80 Bon Vivant	106
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a strictly first-class agency.
All kinds of help promptly furnished.
129 E. EAST SECOND STREET.
Between Main and Los Angeles sts.
Largest and best equipped office on Pacific Coast.

SUNSET MAIN 56.
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JAPAN A.B.C. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.
Oldest and largest agency in the city.
361 S. OLIVE ST.
Phones Main 267. Home 27114.
We furnish all kinds of first-class help. Only complete, reliable responsibility. House-cleaning department. 12

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PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
Largest and most popular agency.
361 W. Sixth st. Los Angeles, Cal.
House cleaning department.
Window cleaning department.
Phones Home 5078; Main 1214.
General labor contractors. Every department insures responsibility.

WANTED—JAPANESE SITUATIONS—
Are you looking for Japanese help?
Phone to
JAPAN A. ARATA EMPLOYMENT OFFICE,
Phone Main 6265. 204 S. Hill st.
We furnish cooks, waiters, porters.
House-cleaning done by hour, day or contract.

WANTED—THE STANDARD GAS ENGINE company of San Francisco, purpose to establish an agency in Los Angeles for the sale of standard gas engines, motors and stationary types, oiling and marine motors. Applications will be received by mail only. State facilities for offering sales, addressing company, EAST OAKLAND, Cal. 2

WANTED—MAN WHO IS ENERGETIC, honest and willing to learn, to enter advertising business; this will pay to such a man $100 per month. Applicant must be able to furnish $50 cash bond. Call early. ROOM 4, 1015 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED—ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN TO solicit and interview business and professional men; a position with a future; good commission and steady employment to right person. ELITE SUIT CLEANING CO., 128 W. Sixth.

WANTED—SALESMAN, A FIRST-CLASS specialty salesman for city trade; one who can invest $500 or 1 will take half cash. Address W. box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—EVERYBODY DISHOOK UP in suits to clean and repair without carrying, send postal for book and pressing card; agent that can be conducted at home; capital unnecessary; its different to all other propositions because its genuine. P.O. BOX 1066.

WANTED—SALESMAN; A THOROUGHLY experienced salesman for wholesale and retail department; only a first-class salesman, with references in this line, need apply to MANAGER, after 9 a.m., Villa de Paris, 217 S. Broadway.

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JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
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COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS.
Rush hands, house and window cleaners, HOUR, DAY OR CONTRACT.

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HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
129 E. Second st.
2 waitresses, city, $25 etc.; waitress, country, $25 etc.; elderly woman, help in boarding-house, $25 month and good home; pantry woman, $20 etc.; dairyman, farm, $25 etc.; pastry woman, cafe, $8 week; waitress, cafe, city, $8 week; waitress, lunch counter, Nevada, $30 etc., free fare.
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED—
HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
324 S. Second st. 'Phones Addi, Main 202.
Hotel waitresses, city and country, $25 month; housekeeper, $20 month; housegirl, 2 in family, $20 month; chambermaid, $20 month; colored girl to assist cook, $20 month and fare; housegirl, 2 adults, $20 month; housegirls, $20, $25, $30 month. 3

WANTED — CHAMBERMAID, $20 AND found, $25; 2 waitresses for out-of-town, $20, found, fare paid; calendar for candy; cafeteria girl; pantrywoman, $20, found; housegirls, $20 and $25. Send home. BROADWAY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 324 S. Broadway.

WANTED—LADIES WITH SPARE HOURS at home to make nets pillow tops; easy design for wholesale house, new proposition, we furnish material and teach you free; $675 up to $15 weekly. Call WOMAN'S NATIONAL ART EXCHANGE, 124 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED—WE WILL HAVE MORE GOOD permanent positions to offer now. Business is all there looks very promising. If you have not called on us do so at once. GUARANTEE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 238 I. W. Hellman Bldg., 411 S. Main.

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WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; must be proficient in rudimental studies, with fair knowledge of housekeeping; must be one of several employees; only a good permanent position for intermediate girl after 9 at 226 W. 1ST ST.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SOLICITOR FOR experienced office; good account; accustomed to high salaried people; investing position for lady of above qualifications. ANDREWS & MARGRAVE, 1 W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN, NOT OVER 30, to assist in general household duties; family of three; a congenial person of some education preferred; $20 monthly; only one of the family. P. O. BOX 324, Pasadena.

WANTED — WOMAN WITH CHILD OF school age or girl 14 to 16, to do light housework and attend school; pay $5 a month and board. Address FRANCES DAVIS, Pico.

WANTED—CAPABLE GENERAL HOUSEwork girl for family of 2 and 1 year old baby; nice room, modern conveniences, $25. 2607 W. 20TH.

WANTED—TEACHERS, HIGH SCHOOL AND grammar grades; "PACIFIC COAST TEACHERS' AGENCY," 28 Douglas Bldg.

WANTED—LADIES WHO CAN BE WILLING to spare from 2 to 20 per week without interfering with their regular duties. Address OK, box 105, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADIES WHO COULD DEVOTE a few hours each week at their leisure for a pleasant occupation. Address OA, box 74, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A WOMAN WHO WORKS IN day time to assume an companion night time with husband in away; no salary. BROOKS, 229 North Bonnie Brae. 4

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN FOR general housework. 2 in family. Call 9 to 12 a.m. MRS. A. T. Hamilton, 1 Adams, S. P. 2, Box 16.

WANTED—A FAIRLY COMPETENT WOMan for sewing pantry; also one for floor work; family of two; references required. MRS. ISRET ARMS, 2000 Wilshire Blvd.

WANTED — GIRLS AND MIDDLE-AGED women for general housework; good places every day; $5 to $8. SQUARE DEAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 324 S. Broadway.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED FEMALE COOK; family of two; homelike place; no washing or chamber work; wages $15. 726 E. WASHINGTON. Take Gothic ave. car.

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN TO do housework; good home; moderate wages; references required. Address X. box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A GIRL TO TAKE CARE OF children; good home, fair wages, MRS. LIVINGSTON, 1128 Stanford ave. Take Gothic ave. car.

WANTED—NEAT, CAPABLE, RELIABLE girl as maid of all work; family of adults. Call mornings at BEACON ST. 2 cars.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR COOKing and downstairs work. Apply at 1128 LAKE ST.

WANTED—WOMEN TO TAKE CHARGE OF rooming-house. Apply 1024 WINFIELD ST.

WANTED — BODY IRONER. LADIES' clothes ironer and mangle girl. 621 SAN FERNANDO ST.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SOLICITOR; references required. Address W. box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GIRL, EXPERIENCED IN light housework. Call forenoon, 824 N. AVE. 21, Sunset Heights.

WANTED—Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—OWNER OF FARM HOME WILL pay $100 month to man and wife for services and boarding three people; woman to be neat housekeeper and good cook, man willing worker. Address 2611 BUENA VISTA ST., city.

WANTED — AMATEURS FOR FRIDAY night. Call or address mgr. of Photo's Theater, prizes to all.

WANTED—Male or Female Help. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—YOUNG MAN BETWEEN THE ages of 18 and 25 years to learn the trade of the linotype machine at THE TIMES LINOTYPE SCHOOL, corner San Fernando and College sts., Los Angeles. Good operators are in demand in every institution in the country, and the pay is above the average. It is possible to learn in from three to six months. Apply to SCHOOL MANAGER for terms.

WANTED — FIREMEN AND BRAKEMEN on railroads in Los Angeles and vicinity, to fill vacancies; no experience required; state age; steady employment; $100 monthly; become engineers, earn $175; brakemen, $75, becoming conductors, earn $125; name position preferred. RAILWAY INSTRUCTION BUREAU, Omaha, Neb.

WANTED—LADIES, LEARN HAIRDRESSing, manicuring, facial massage and hair manufacturing. We teach all branches, professionally. Diplomas and formulas given graduates. Call or write for catalogue. 324 Majestic Place. Home phone Pico.

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN ELECTRICITY, plumbing, painting, bricklaying, all kinds of drafting and plan reading; day and night; $2 guarantee position; free catalogue. COYNE TRADE SCHOOL, 236-240 Eighth st., San Francisco.

WANTED — BRICKLAYING, PLUMBING, electricity and plastering are the highest paying trades taught in a months; catalog mailed free; day or night; instruments. UNION SCHOOL OF TRADES, 129-135 E. Ninth st., L. A.

WANTED—LEARN TO MAKE MIRRORS; catalogue free. Particulars for stamp. ROBERTS & JONES, box 486, Station F, Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—Situations, Male.

WANTED—PLAIN PRT. COOK WANTS employment. Address X. box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION, A JAPANESE school boy, in the city. MAIN 3178. BETHLEHEM CHURCH.

WANTED—POSITION ON A RANCH, BY young man; 22. Address C. HUMMITCH, general delivery, city.

WANTED—POSITION AS CASHIER OR bookkeeper; highest references. Address X. box 5, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS BOOKKEEPER wants half day or evening position. Address Y. box 17, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY GENTLEMAN OF EXPERIence, position as hotel manager or clerk. Address X. box 22, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PLACE AS COOK IN HOTEL or boarding-house. PETER MITCHELL, 1941 S. Los Angeles st. Phone Main 6265.

WANTED—POSITION BY GERMAN IN OR near city, as gardener. Address IGNATZ ROERELER, 325 S. Hill st.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WANTS TO learn printing trade; wages no object. Address LONNIE H. ROBERTS, 2628 Griffin ave.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOTEL CLERK; by young man; 3 years' experience; references. Address W. box 12, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STUDENT ATTENDING UNIversity desires work for board and room. Address W. box 6, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE BOY WISHES situation as school boy; wages no object. 1024 NINTH ST.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN WISHES POSItion as nurse. Please call at 325 S. OLIVE ST., room 5.

WANTED—BY SINGLE MAN WITH PRACtical experience, a position on equipped poultry ranch; state terms to satisfactory party. Address X. box 85, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION, BEST EXPERIenced and fine Japanese chauffeur for White steamer. TOCHIO, 629 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—MARRIED MAN WANTS POSItion on ranch; wages no object; good reference. S. B. BIDDLECOME, 1109 Crocker st. Phone F5239.

WANTED—MAN OF 28 WANTS A POSItion of any kind; can give best of reference. Address Y. box 4, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN WANTS WORK, WOOD sawing, lawn mowing or any kind of outdoor work, very handy at anything. Address X. box 14, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF BUSINESS ability; well educated, English and German speaking; not afraid of work, desires position. Address X. box 42, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR; had some experience; do any other work in spare time; lowest wages. Address X. box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GARDENER WISHES PLACE AS assistant; experienced; references. Address X. box 40, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A RELIABLE COLORED MAN, do general housework. PHONE F196.

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK BY DAY or job. 'PHONE Red.

WANTED—Situations, Female.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY STENOGRAPHer desires any kind of office work. Address X. box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED LADY, A GOOD cook, and general housework; desires position. TEL. F2841.

WANTED — SITUATION BY A GERMAN girl, chambermaid. Address X. box 44, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS cook. Address Y. box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, GENERAL HOUSEwork. 1917 E. 22D ST. 'Phone South 1413.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER, WITHOUT office experience, but willing to work, wishes position. BOX 77, R. R., No. 1.

WANTED — COMPETENT GIRL WISHES to do general housework; is good cook; wages $25. 328 HILL.

WANTED—SITUATION, COLORED WOMAN, as day's work or house cleaning. 812 AMELIA. Main 4811.

WANTED — NEAT, STRONG AND healthy young lady desires position as second girl in or near the city. TEL. F2841.

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WANTED—SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER in small family. Address 816 MALABAR ST., city.

WANTED — BY COLORED LAUNDRESS, small washing to take home or day work. 'PHONE BROADWAY 682.

WANTED — COMPETENT YOUNG LADY stenographer wants position. MAIN 97, room 1.

WANTED—ENGAGEMENTS BY THE DAY by first-class ladies' tailor. 340 E. 31ST., city.

WANTED — COMPETENT CHAUFFEUR, experienced on large cars, desires position. Address X. box 24, TIMES OFFICE.

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A BIG BEAUMONT EXCURSION,

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GROUND TRIP, ONLY $1.

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BUY NOW AND SAVE MONEY.

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Please send me literature free regarding Beaumont, and the fruit land in same. Also state what rates you make from here.

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IF YOU WANT TO BE SURE OF
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PLANT IT IN ALFALFA LAND.

Follow the trail of the trolley to Somerset Acres, on the Santa Ana electric line, only 27 minutes from Sixth and Main sts. There are plenty of farm lands but no more like this right on the city. This is the 10-acre farm of Jotham Bixby, which earned a fortune for him. Land of remarkable productivity. Unfailing free water piped. The best and most liberal flowing-well district. Seven cuttings of alfalfa. Corn ten feet high. The best place for vegetables, potatoes, berries, fruits and walnuts. Right on the Santa Ana line, with station right there. Get it now, and let the values grow up around you.

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EASY TERMS.
FOUR YEARS' TIME.
COME IN AND SEE THE PROOFS.
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acres of cheap, choice land, near the city of Los Angeles; only four miles; four shares of water stock with each acre.

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If you wish a good safe investment that is bound to grow in value.

REMEMBER,

Deep, rich loamy soil, only four miles from the city, with plenty of

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$250 and up, one-fourth cash, balance on or before one, two and three years at 6 per cent.

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FOR SALE—
ORANGE LAND ON
EASY PAYMENTS.

If you wish to get into the best-paying farm business in the State today, come in and examine Monte Vista acres. Near 50 to 82d well developed groves worth $1000 to $1500 an acre. Deep soil. Abundant water. The chance of the age. Worth double the price asked. In the city limits of Ontario with two railroads and all improvements.

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FOR SALE—
The Stirling Milk Company's fine ranch, five miles northeast of Corona, excellent buildings, level land; grand view; 200 inches of water now visible, and a large amount more easily developed; all fenced and about half of it under the plow; some fine orange groves at Corona and Riverside; terms, $150 per acre; 1-3 cash, balance payable at the pleasure of the buyer, inside of ten years; interest 6 per cent. per annum.

Inquire at ranch of WILL E. VALENTINE or at The John M. C. Marble Co., main corridor, H. W. Hellman Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

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A thousand acres of fine land in the San Joaquin Valley, on the main line of the Southern Pacific R.R., adjoining town site. Price $40 per acre and no alkali. A good opportunity and a first-class proposition for division. E. S. SHANK, 409 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Home phone 4161.

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Ten, 20 or 35 acres of fine sandy loam soil, perfectly level, on Central avenue, Burbank; only 11 miles from Los Angeles; only 7 miles from Hollywood; surrounded by alfalfa and berry ranches, and in the midst of the finest farming land close to Los Angeles. This property will pay for itself in alfalfa in three seasons. If you are looking for a first-class ranch property, see this. Price only $225 per acre.

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Los Angeles, Cal.

Bring Boyle st. before 9 a.m. or after 4 p.m. Or call on O. C. Eberhart and M. R. Watson at main office, Thermal, Riverside Co., Cal.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL THOUSAND ACRES OF FIRST-CLASS VALLEY LAND IN LARGE OR SMALL LOTS, LEVEL, CLEAR AND PLOWED; EAST TO IRRIGATE. SUITABLE FOR GROWING ALL KINDS OF FRUIT AND GRAIN; NEAR RAILROAD AND GOOD MARKETS; PRICE $30 TO $50 PER ACRE. EASY TERMS; PERFECT TITLE. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WRITE McLEOD & BRINKERHOFF, FIRST NATIONAL BANK BLDG., RIVERSIDE, CAL.

FOR SALE — 22-ACRE TRACT, WITH 11 shares of A. U. W. Co. stock, in Placentia, Orange county, being part of the famous Tuffree ranch. This land will produce anything raised in California. There is a big warehouse on the place that goes with it. Price $9000. Land and location can't be beat. $3000 cash will handle it.

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Owner going East, must sell, 5 acres choice land; good 5-room cottage, small barn, chicken corrals and houses; 242-foot flowing well; $1 trolley fare from Los Angeles; 4½ miles from city limits; will sacrifice for $1200; $400 down, balance in 1, 2, 3, 4 years. This is near nice little town and surrounded by improved ranches. Apply at 324 E. FIFTH ST. 4

FOR SALE—GET A HOMESTEAD OF 160 acres of rich level valley land, near Los Angeles and shipping station for $125. Better act quickly. Open Monday and Thursday evenings. OSBURN, 239 Chamber of Com. ✕

FOR SALE—BY WIDOW, 2-ACRE RANCH, with 5-room modern house, No. 1 water plant, best boy on Santa Ana car line. For particulars THONE WEST 2168.

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FOR SALE—WRITE AT ONCE FOR FREE copy of SANTA CRUZ SUN, list of real estate bargs.

FOR SALE— Poultry Ranches.

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FOR SALE—OR RENT—POULTRY RANCH, fully equipped; doing good business; close in. Apply REGALIA CO., 2114 W. Second. Phone Main 7462A. ✕

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FOR SALE—
BUY AN ACRE OR TWO
WHERE CORN GROWS TEN FEET HIGH
AND THE
TROLLEY PASSES YOUR DOOR.

You can figure it out for yourself about how long such property will be obtainable at $250 an acre, the present price. I am platting Jotham Bixby's famous old ranch into small tracts of one acre and upward. It is on the Santa Ana electric line, thirty minutes from the Huntington Depot at Sixth and Main streets. It is the best soil around Los Angeles and never knew a failure. Eight flowing wells prove the unlimited character of the water supply. Everything that grows in this zone thrives there at its best. The advance in value on account of its proximity to Los Angeles, and the excellent electric service, will be rapid and the profits will be substantial.

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FOR SALE—
UNUSUAL CHANCE.

The owners of an improved tract of land, both in orchard and unplanted, are forced to make sacrifices, and choice home sites and orange groves surrounded by streets, completely improved with cement curbs, gutters and sidewalks, can be purchased at less than value of land. Oranges are navels and Valencias, the former being fall bearing.

Property is located in one of the finest cities close to Los Angeles, near car line, and is unexcelled for beautiful location.

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FOR SALE—UNDER THE SHADOW OF the eagle, that is 1-3 cash, balance arrangement at the foot of Eagle Rock; price $1700; also acre lots in Saginaw Heights tract; at Eagle Rock, with water piped, $750 to $1200; easy terms; near the car line.

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Or branch office at end of Eagle Rock AVENUE (Garvanza) yellow car line, 10 fare. ✕

FOR SALE—1-1-3 ACRES, LOCATED AT Inglewood, improvements consist of 4-room modern house, fruit trees, all kinds small fruit, chicken-houses, corrals, located in heart of city; price only $1800; is worth twice the amount.

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10 or 15 acres of choice land on electric car line, between the city and the ocean, for $250 per acre. Act quick if this is

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$5 DOWN—$10 MONTH. $450 ACRE UP.

Near station on land, Inglewood, Redondo car. Chickens, vegetables, high elevation, sandy soil, good water. Between Inglewood and Hawthorne, one mile from each. HAWTHORNE ACRES CO., 411 Main St., Room 229. PHONE, Home 4423. ✕

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2½ or 5 acres, near Moneta, 6 blocks south Redondo car line, on Moneta ave.; all in fruit and alfalfa; plenty of water. 406 Trinity st. Phone 25078. EDWARD M. SAVAGE, owner. 5

FOR SALE—AN ALTADENA RESIDENCE of 8 rooms, new, modern, artistic, well located; lot 80x200. Price $3800. L. M. FRATT & CO., 606 Laughlin Bldg., or Altadena office at corner of car line.

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On Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY—
$500—1 year, 12 per cent. per annum net interest, payable quarterly, secured by first mortgage on 2 lots; first on 46th st., near San Pedro st., value $1000, and 1 second in Ocean Park, value $1000; total value $2000.
$1000—1 year, 9 per cent. per annum net interest, payable quarterly; secured by first mortgage on lot 45x125, on E. 46th st., near San Pedro st., value $1000, with 5-room house, value $1200; the $1200 to be used in building 5-room cottage to cost $1200; guarantee will be given against liens.
$1500—2 years, 8 per cent. per annum net interest, payable quarterly, secured by first mortgage on lot 41x150, on street, Los Angeles, value $2000; money wanted as a building loan to construct a 5-room cottage to cost $2000; total value $3000.
$2500—2 years, 7 per cent. per annum net interest, secured by first mortgage on lot 75x150, East Avenue 66, very close to Pasadena ave., value $1500, with fine house, value $2500; total value $3500.
$2500—2 years, 8 per cent. per annum net interest, secured by first mortgage on lot 50x125, on Birch street, between Hancock and Hawthorne, 9th and 9th sts., Los Angeles, value $2500, with 7-room house, value $4500; total value $7000.
$75,000—2 to 5 years, 8 per cent. per annum net interest, secured by first mortgage on lot 100x198, corner 6th and H streets, San Diego, California, value $90,000, with 6-story steel and brick building, value $90,000; total value $175,000.
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Capital and surplus, $1,500,000.

WANTED—WE HAVE AN APPLICATION
for $20,000 at 5 per cent. on an income business property, valued about $140,000; tenants under bonded lease; security indorsed by one of the wealthiest men in the city. BLACK BROS., 303-6 Union Trust Bldg.

WANTED—$20,000 AT 5 PER CENT., ON $35,000
house, Burlington near Temple.
$1000 at 7 per cent., on $2500 improved property in Monrovia.
$5000 at 5 per cent., on $7300 Burlington-st. house, near 18th.
$2500 at 5 per cent. on $11,000 home, southwest.
$2000 at 7 per cent. on $20,000 improved, on Central ave.
$25,000 at 7 per cent., on $85,000, Seventh st., improved.
$35,000 at 7 per cent., on $125,000, Seventh-st. income property.
LOUIS K. WEBB, 900 W. 10th. E2028. 3

WANTED—$2000 ON CHOICE RESIDENCE
property, Westlake district, value $13,000, for 2 years at 8 per cent.
$3000—On 10-room residence, between Grand and Figueroa sts., value $6500, 2 years, 8 per cent.
$20,000 to $25,000 on close in business corner worth $300,000, rental $2000, 2 years at 7 per cent.
$7000 on Main st., near 20th, worth $14,000, 5 years at 7 per cent.
$10,000 to $15,000 to $20,000 on Union Oil, Southern Trust T. & M. bank or Pacific Electric bonds at 8 per cent.
Or other choice loans see
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WATSON, 322 Trust Bldg. 5

WANTED—$4500, AT 8 PER CENT., ON MACHine shop and equipment, worth $10,000; purpose to establish highly-profitable manufacturing business; will give first mortgage on factory and machinery and attractive stock bonus. Call 429 GROSSE BLDG.

WANTED — MONEY ON COLLATERAL;
$10,000 on small valuation, gilt-edged property, at large per cent., indorsed by wealthy party; perfectly safe. PHONES BROADWAY 1580, HOME F628.

WANTED—$1000, ON LOT SITUATED ON
Magnolia ave., near Adams st., will pay 8 per cent. for one year, with privilege of 10 years longer. Address BOX A, Station D, city.

WANTED—$2000, 8 PER CENT. NEW 6-ROOM
house, in southwest; insurance $4000; property sold at $5000. For details call 211 GRANT BLDG. A1360. W. N. Holway.

MONEY WANTED—
On Collaterals.

WANTED—$900, 1 YEARS, 6 PER CENT., on modern house and good lot, on 42d st. near Figueroa st.; owner has refused $1500 for this place recently. LOCKHART & SON, 204 W. First st.

WANTED—CLIENT WANTS $250 IMMEDIately for 60 days, security stock; a thorough investigation invited; will pay 10 per cent. a month. LA MONT, room 111, 214 S. Broadway.

WANTED—$500; 2 YEARS, 6 PER CENT., security worth $15,000, $5000 on city improved 2 years, 8 per cent., security $8000. HILDESHEIM & SCHILLER, 308 Potts Bldg. F2425 Main 5025.

WANTED—$300 FOR 2 YEARS; WILL PAY 8 per cent.; offer as security 9 lots, in industrial district; absolutely worth $600 cash; also best kind of space on note. Address W, box 125, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$25,000; INTEREST 7 PER CENT. on downtown improved property; security unquestionable; can use term deposit. GEORGE TAILOR, 225 Byrne Bldg., Third and Broad.

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WANTED—$2500 TO $25,000 ON FIRST class improved Los Angeles real estate. DAVID BARRY & CO., 211 to 215 Union Trust Bldg. Main 4062. F4062.

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WANTED — BY PRIVATE PARTY, $1500 loan for 2 years, 8 per cent.; valuation $3000; property southwest. Address W, box 134, TIMES OFFICE.

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$200 on fine cottage, southwest. Address X, box 69, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WILL PAY 1 PER CENT. A month on $600 for 6 months; will give trust deed on fine residence as security. PHONE A2202.

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VAUGHN DUCTILE METALS COMPANY.
The public is hereby warned against the purchase or pledging of receipts issued by the above-named company, on the ground that any such sale or purchase of said receipts constitutes a violation of the contract upon which said receipts are issued, by the holder thereof, and is now held by me as trustee.
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FOR SALE—ANTI-FRICTION J. R. CALL at 628 COFF BLDG. 'Phone A2128, and will trade Naples stock for Flour Gold Plate stock.

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I WILL PAY $1.62 PER SHARE FOR SNOWstorm (today); delivery 1000 shares or less. RICH & KIRCKHOFFER, 611 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

FIRST MORTGAGE, GUARANTEED GOLD bonds, netting 7 per cent., with equal stock bonus. Call 429 GROSSE BLDG.

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WANTED — LATE MODEL 2-CYLINDER touring car, first-class condition only, for $1000 equity in modern six-room cottage, south. 'PHONES A2628, BROADWAY 1229. 3

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AFTER CHRISTMAS BICYCLE BARGAINS and on easy payments. It's your chance to get a good bicycle for less money than heretofore. We also sell sundries and repairs on a little down and small payments for the same price others charge for it cash. BICYCLE STORE, 420 S. Spring st.

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FOR SALE—1200-LB. RANCH HORSE, AGE 5 years; fat and chunky built; true to pull, single or double; used to ranch work. BIG TIP S. HILL.

FOR SALE—BAY HORSE, SOUND AND A roadster; can trot a 2:40 gait; price $90; also new mission runabout and buggy, as good as new; cheap. Call 1321 W. 20TH. Phone H1362.

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FOR SALE—$65; BLACK MARE, 1000 LBS., work any place; good for slow work, and gentle. Call at 1794 E. MAIN.

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FOR SALE—4-YEAR-OLD BAY GELDING, gentle driver; stands with weight; will sell cheap. Call at 1264 W. WASHINGTON.

FOR SALE—WILL SELL MY DRIVING mare, cheap, with or without buggy and harness. Call 230 E. THIRD ST.

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FOR SALE—SHETLAND PONIES, SINGLE or double, all young stock. Address ROBERT LIBBY, Long Beach.

FOR SALE—AT ONCE, 3 HORSES, WAGons, buggies, harness. Selling out. 721 SAN PEDRO ST.

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FOR SALE—ONE 10 MONTHS OLD McKinney colt. 1134 MAPLE AVE.

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FOR SALE—ONE TEAM OF BAY HORSES; weight, 3650 lbs.; 6 and 7 years old; sound, gentle and true pullers; would make a first-class ranch team; can buy horse, weight 1200, for leaders; good and gentle, always been used in family; also one bay horse, weight 1150, 7 years old, suitable for any kind of work. Call at 630 MAPLE AVE. 'Phone F628.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—10 MULES, EIGHT head 1200 and 1250 pounds, with harness; 2 good mares, in foal to best Jack in California; one fine saddle mare; 2 good single horses; prices from $150 to $225 each; very low on the stock, as it is first-class. McCLELLAN, 942 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; HAVE SOLD MY wagons and harness and have no use for following—Ranch horse, 1200 lbs., $90; 1 mare, 1200 lbs., sound, $75; 1 sorrel horse, sound, $85; also 1 saddle mare, $75; will sell with trial. Private barn, 346 W. NINTH, in alley.

FOR SALE—A WELL-BRED FIVE-YEAR-old mare, perfectly sound and a good traveler, together with my new and never used buggy and harness, at your own price; forced to sell and money talks. 'Phone A2830. 302 BRADBURY BLDG.

FOR SALE — 2600-LB. TEAM OF BORREL mares, sound, fat, chunky built, ages 6 and 7 years old; true to pull; used to ranch work. Price $300. Also one good set of heavy harnesses, and a light farm wagon; take $175 for the outfit. 719 S. HILL.

FOR SALE—A GOOD CHEAP MARE, AGE 9 years, true to pull, single or double; weight 1000. Take $60 for her; also a good 4-year-old colt, broke, gentle to ride and work, weight 950; color bay. Take $65 for him. 719 S. HILL.

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FOR SALE—GOOD WORK OR RANCH horse, 7 years old; work any place; true to pull; also used for ranch work; will trade for small horse. Call at 1394 S. MAIN.

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FOR SALE—GOOD, SOUND, PERFECTLY true, gentle work team; come and try them; weight 2100; do not call afternoons. 2230 W. PICO ST.

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FOR SALE—CHUNKY BUILT RANCH OR all-purpose mare; weight 1200; sound and good worker; cheap today. 734 S. HILL. HOBART.

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And Stolen.

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LOST—WILL THE PARTY WHO PICKED up unmounted portrait of young man, in downtown district, between the hours of 4 and 6, Thursday afternoon, kindly mail same to 336 W. 21ST ST., together with their address, and receive reward?

LOST—NEW YEAR'S DAY, A LEFT GRAY and Davis automobile side lamp on Downey ave. or Main st. Return to WOODILL AUTO CO., Sixth and Los Angeles sts., and get reward.

LOST — WEDNESDAY, ON BOULEVARD between Osgoods and Eastlake Park, automobile lamp. Leave at ROOM 25, Hotel Lovejoy, Third and Grand. 'Phone Main 9441. Liberal reward.

LOST—NECK FUR AT GARVANZA STAtion on Santa Fe, 10 o'clock train to Pasadena, New Year's day. Return to 224 S. OLIVE ST., room 14. Reward.

LOST—LADY'S OPEN FACED GOLD WATCH with word "Billy" engraved on back. Reward if finder returns to 242 DOUGLAS BLDG.

LOST—TUESDAY AFTERNOON; SOLID gold brooch, inlaid with quarts; owner's name engraved on inside. Reward. 1624 WALL ST. Phone Main 8253.

LOST—PLAIN BLACK POCKET BOOK CONtaining lady's gold watch and small amount of money. Return to 1217 INGRAHAM ST., and receive reward.

LOST—BLACK AND WHITE SPOTTED bitch coach dog, about 6 months old. Return to 40 ARCOT STABLE, 309 S. Los Angeles st., and get suitable reward.

LOST—NEW YEAR'S NIGHT, ON W. PICO st., a gray sweater, red trimmings, with a Greek letter pin attached. Reward. B2845. FLOYD LAYNE.

LOST—DECEMBER 31, ON PASADENA via Garvanza car, pair double-trimmed gaiter specials, in case. Reward at 133 ROSELAWN DRIVE.

LOST—MINK NECK FUR ON PASADENA Pacific Electric car, about 3 p.m. January 1. Return to ROOM 2, 204½ S. Broadway, get reward.

LOST—GOLD PIN, BOW KNOT DESIGN, with small diamond. Leave at BAUMGARDT PUB. CO., 134 N. Broadway, for reward.

LOST—SUNDAY MORNING, IN TEMPLE Auditorium, purse, containing silver dollars. Finder return to P. E. B., 613 S. FLOWER. Reward.

LOST—IN PASADENA OR ON SANTA FE train, gold chain and jacket; monogram H. D. S. Reward. 229 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

LOST — LADY'S GOLD WATCH, WITH monogram I. I. R. and name inside. Finder return to IRENE RODENBAUGH, 427 Copp Bldg., and receive reward.

LOST—A WATCH FOB, CONSISTING OF gold buckle and locket, with fine hair. Finder please return to third floor, JACOBY BROS. Reward.

LOST—CAMEO BROOCH, MONDAY NIGHT, either on Central, Hooper or W. 11th cars. Finder please notify ALMA SCHERUBLE, 1512 Blaine. Broadway 4135. Receive reward.

LOST — JANUARY 1, GOLD CROSS AND chain on First and Broadway, or in Auditorium Theater; heirloom. Reward. 139 S. WESTLAKE.

LOST—11 A.M., NEW YEAR'S DAY, RIGHT hand glove, undressed kid, tan colored. ARTHUR BEACH, Commercial National Bank.

STRAYED—FIVE 1-YEAR-OLD MULES, two dark bays and three blacks, halter on each mule. 'PHONE 51921.

LOST — A STRING OF ROSARY BEADS, with gold cross. Suitable reward will be paid. Under at 425 W. 27TH ST.

LOST—NEW YEAR'S DAY, A GOLD PIN with tiny pearl in center. Finder please return to 1341 SEVENTH ST. Reward.

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH AND CHAIN in the Westlake district. Return WOOD BROS., 241 S. Spring. Reward.

FOUND—LADY'S WATCH; OWNER CAN have same by paying for this ad. and proving property. 1211 W. 11TH.

LOST—JANUARY 1, NECKLACE OF GOLD beads. Finder return to 1922 HOBART. and receive reward.

LOST—WHITE FEMALE BULL PUP. CALL or return to J. KING, 1146 E. 6th st. Reward.

LOST—A WHITE FOX NECK PIECE AT Al Levy's New Year's eve. Reward upon return to 822 BURLINGTON AVE.

LOST—STRING OF G

JEAN VALJEAN AGAIN.

HONEST MAN IN JAIL PARDONED.

ESCAPED PRISON, LIVED UPRIGHT LIFE, CAUGHT, CONVICTED.

Gov. Curry Presents Respected Contractor With His Freedom as New Year's Gift—Married as a Fugitive and for Nine Years Was Esteemed by Neighbors.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA FE (N. M.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A New Year's pardon was granted by Gov. Curry to Samuel Morrow, a well-known and highly respected contractor of Globe, Ariz., who, at the last term of court was sentenced to serve a term of one year in the Territorial penitentiary by Judge William H. Pope of Chavez county on the charge of receiving stolen property.

In many respects Morrow's case was a parallel to that of William January of Kansas City, whom President Roosevelt some months ago pardoned from the Federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., for good conduct and because of his family. January had been tried, found guilty and sentenced to the Federal penitentiary from Oklahoma for robbing a postoffice when a mere boy. He broke jail, married and settled down, reared a family and was leading an upright life, when he was discovered and taken back to the penitentiary to serve out the term he had evaded for nine years.

The alleged crime for which Morrow was sent to the penitentiary was committed nine years ago in Eddy county, while Morrow was yet in his teens. He was charged with horse stealing and receiving stolen goods. He had been keeping bad company and when suspicion fell on him was arrested and locked up in jail at Carlsbad. He escaped, pending his trial, and went to Globe, Ariz., where he married and settled down.

Recently John Van Winkle of Carlsbad, who knew Morrow as a boy, went to Globe on business and while there met Morrow, whom he recognized. He notified the New Mexico authorities and Morrow was dragged from the arms of his wife, who is soon to become a mother, brought to New Mexico for trial and convicted.

Immediately after his conviction, a petition was circulated to suspend the sentence imposed upon him pending good behavior and this petition was signed by the Sheriff in the county in which the crime was committed, the prosecuting attorney, eleven of the jurors who convicted him, and hundreds of citizens of Eddy county where Morrow formerly resided. Judge Pope, however, refused to heed the petition and it was then presented to Gov. Curry. Morrow had already begun the serving of his sentence.

He returned immediately to his home in Arizona.

PHYSICS.

PHYSICIANS AND EDUCATORS MEET.

TWO GREAT QUESTIONS UP FOR DISCUSSION.

Presidents of Institutions of Learning and Leading Medical Men Consider Advisability of Shortening Educational Course and Uniform State Medical Examination Laws.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Jan. 2.—An important meeting of leading medical men and educators of the country convened here today in the hall of the Carnegie Institute.

Presidents of colleges and universities of the country and medical men, both professors and practitioners, representing the American Academy of Medicine, are in attendance. The meeting here is not the convention of the academy, but the work of this council, as it is termed, will furnish the leading thoughts for the annual convention of the American Academy of Medicine, to be held the second week of June at Chicago.

Two great questions, probably the most important, from a sociological and educational view point, will be discussed, and the influence of this meeting carried to nearly every State in the Union, is expected to bear fruit:

First—Realizing that four years in college and four years in a medical school are too much of a man's life to ask in preparation for his profession, the academy proposes to so arrange the college courses and medical courses that six years only will be required. This will be discussed from the viewpoint of the college by Prof. Jacob G. Schurman of Cornell University; David Starr Jordan, president of Leland Stanford, Jr., University; James D. Moffatt, president of Washington and Jefferson College, and other leading educators.

Second—State medical examination laws. Each State requires a State medical examination before a doctor can practice within its border. The academy proposes that a uniform examination be held in every State, and that a doctor who has passed this examination in one State may be admitted to practice in any other State without again taking an examination.

FAIR SEX MAY SMOKE.

Example Set by Prominent New York Restaurant Is Quickly Followed by Big Rival.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—So successful was the plan of allowing women to smoke in the public dining-rooms, introduced at one of the prominent Broadway restaurants for the first time in New York New Year's eve, that another of the famous Broadway eating-houses followed suit.

It is expected that several more of them will fall into line immediately, but the big hotels and restaurants on Fifth avenue will not, the management says, follow suit, for the present at least.

Until last night no first-class restaurants in New York had permitted women to smoke in the public rooms.

SCORES INSURANCE METHODS.

President of Mutual Reserve Criticises Department After Report Showing Company Insolvent.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Archibald C. Haynes, of the Mutual Reserve Insurance Company, sharply criticised the methods of the State Insurance Department today and practically accused it of trying to have the company adjudged bankrupt regardless of the law.

Superintendent Otto Kelsey of the department turned over to Atty-Gen. Jackson on December 31 a report of his examination of the company, which showed it to be insolvent.

If the ordinary course is followed, the attorney-general may bring receivership proceedings against the company which, it is declared, would be a calamity to its 45,000 policy-holders, many of whom have been paying premiums for fifteen years or more and are now too old to re-insure or have physical disabilities which debar them from insurance in other companies.

PIGEONS MAKE LONG FLIGHT.

Carry Message from Mayor of Minneapolis to Chief Executive of Boston.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two carrier pigeons arrived here today from Minneapolis, a distance of nearly 1200 miles as the crow flies, one of them bearing a message from Mayor James C. Haynes to Mayor John F. Fitzgerald.

The birds were owned by Louis Thie' of Roxbury. They left Minneapolis on Saturday at noon and reached their loft at 9:16 a.m.

REORGANIZATION OF THE MAMMOTH SHOE HOUSE

MR. E. OLCOVICH ASSUMES ENTIRE OWNERSHIP OF THIS GREAT STORE.

Fifteen Years' Record as the Shoe Market of This City—Sweeping Changes and Drastic Price Cutting.

First Sale of New Store Now On. 519 South Broadway.

The reorganization sale now in full blast at the Mammoth Shoe House, 519 South Broadway, marks the first change in this popular shoe market in 15 years' time. Mr. Olcovich, in assuming entire ownership of this enormous business, has planned to give the customers a New Year's treat, and has inaugurated a sale of sweeping importance in its price reductions. The name Mammoth now stands for mammoth values to illustrate: Several hundred pairs of men's $5 and $6 shoes have been marked $2.95, and both men's and women's shoes that you'll pay $3.50 to $5 for in nearly every store, you can now buy for $1.95. In this lot are many sample shoes from the best makers in the country at $1.95; you are getting values that cannot be duplicated in any store on this whole Coast. 98c is another sale price that brings choice of slippers, Oxfords, shoes for either men, women, boys and girls and represent values that are easily worth twice or more. Girls' and children's shoes at 49c, 59c, 98c, $1.23, and whether it be for Sunday or for every day school wear you'll find footwear for the youngsters at a very great saving. The stock that has been thrown onto the bargain tables represents better than $50,000.00, and the lots are all complete in sizes. There has never been a shoe sale of greater importance to the shoe buyer than this one, for Mr. Olcovich is determined to make this, the first sale of the new Mammoth, the greatest ever held in Los Angeles, so it will pay you to patronize the Reorganization Sale now on.

WHY I LOST MY JOB.

Reasons Why Thousands Like Me Cannot Satisfy Their Employers.

"I believe my fate is not unlike that of thousands of other workers who daily lose their places for reasons they do not know, and probably would not believe. When their last pay envelope comes along, it is usually 'Your services no longer required.' If the truth were known, the reason for their unceremonious removal would probably be that their usefulness was destroyed because of some mental worry, bodily ailment or general indisposition. These things, as we all know, are the most fruitful causes of failure in all walks of life. The battle of Waterloo was lost because of a headache. In this quick age our minds must be clear, rapid, active, and free from outside influence or worry, or else we go down to failure with the throng of "floaters" who go from one place of employment to another, giving no satisfaction to others or to themselves, constantly growing older and less useful, with no ambition, no will power, and no hope.

"Every man requires from every other man the best that is in him. But no man can use or get the best that is in himself until he is first free from all fretful indispositions and worries.

"That was my trouble. I was full of troubles. That's why I lost my job. My stomach in the first place was always out of order, and I was worrying about it and my mind grew cloudy, and slow. I made mistakes, and grew grouchy. That was the end.

"There are thousands like me, going about with 'quick lunch' faces, dyspeptic manners, and repulsive atmospheres. No employer wants such men's services.

"Take my advice. A healthy stomach is half the battle, for it keeps your mind clear, and your face rosy. I have a healthy stomach now and hold a good position, and my employer is satisfied, and so am I.

"I started to take Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which I was told were good for the worst cases of indigestion and dyspepsia. The first two tablets made a wonderful difference in my condition."

One ingredient of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets digests 3000 grains of food. The stomach doesn't have to work at all. The Tablets do all the work, no matter how heavy your meal.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets cure brash, eructations, burning sensations, bloat, irritations, loss of appetite, nausea, heartburn, lack of energy, loss of memory, and dyspepsia and indigestion in their very worst forms.

No other little tablets in the world can do so much. You should carry them around with you wherever you go and take them regularly after meals. Then you will realize what it is to be freed from stomach torment, and have a clear mind, a quick memory, a happy disposition, comfort and rest. Get Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at any drug store for 50c a package.

Send us your name and address today and we will at once send you by mail a sample package, free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

FIRE SALE

Kahn's

457 SO. BROADWAY

REMEMBER—This sale continues from day to day until the entire stock is sold. Not a garment is reserved. It is a clear, clean sweep—everything must go. The smallest prices you ever heard of.

Store has been closed all this week adjusting insurance—making repairs and MARKING DOWN PRICES.

Entire Stock of $35,000 Worth of Clothing, Furnishings, Hats Damaged by Smoke and Water and Must be Sold Within the Next 30 Days

Damaged By Smoke and Water

Kahn's, the reliable clothier of the city, with one of the most complete stocks, has suffered damage by smoke and water. Our buyers are already preparing to go East to purchase an entire new stock. The entire stock now on hand must be sold quickly, as we will not carry one dollar's worth of damaged goods in our new store.

The insurance companies swallow the loss. Everybody gets an enormous money's worth.

Every Article Is Marked Down Without Regard to Cost

DOORS OPEN

This Morning at 8 o'Clock

And Will Continue from Day Till Day Until All Is Sold

While the insurance companies settle their proportion of the loss promptly only those who have experienced a fire appreciate the loss sustained. We want it over; we want to forget it. We want to renovate and get in our new stock without delay.

Every Article is Marked Down Without Regard to Cost

or the intrinsic value of the goods. On this page we have quoted at random a few specimens of the ruthless prices at which Kahn's famous high-grade clothing is to be sold and cleared out. If you need anything now or if you will need anything the coming year you can save money by coming to this forced sale.

Everything is Marked in Plain Figures--Strictly One Price

Fine Suits Slaughtered

Men's Worsted and Cheviot Suits formerly sold for $15, slightly damaged by smoke and water	$4.95
Men's and Young Men's Suits, formerly sold for $18; slightly smoked	$7.50
Men's Worsted Suits, formerly sold for $20; damaged by smoke only	$8.95
Men's Fine Worsted Suits, formerly sold for $25; more or less damaged by smoke	$11.35

Unreserved choice of the finest Men's and Young Men's Suits in the house; regular $30, $35 and $40 values; absolutely not a suit reserved. These suits were in cabinets and the odor of smoke is the only evidence of any damage $13.55

Fine Overcoats Slaughtered

Men's and Young Men's Cravenette Raincoats, formerly sold for $15; damaged by smoke and water	$4.95
Men's and Young Men's Overcoats and Cravenette Raincoats, formerly sold for $18; slighely damaged by smoke	$7.85
Men's and Young Men's Overcoats and Cravenette Coats, formerly sold for $20; water damage only	$9.25
Men's and Young Men's $25 Overcoats and Raincoats; slightly smoked only	$11.65

Unreserved pick of the finest Overcoats in the house; absolutely not a coat reserved; take your pick of the finest Overcoats ever manufactured; formerly sold for $30, $35 and $40; just a small trace of smoke damage only $14.15

Fancy Vests

Damaged by Smoke Only

$1.50 Fancy Vests, smoked and slightly soiled	45c
$2 and $2.50 Fancy Vests, damaged by smoke only	85c
$3.00 Fancy Vests, slightly smoked	$1.10

Men's Shirts

Men's 50c and 75c Working Shirts	17c
Men's 75c and $1.00 Golf Shirts, detached cuffs, damaged by smoke only	39c
Men's $1.50 Eagle Shirts, soft or stiff bosom, attached or detached cuffs, very slightly smoked	75c
Men's $2.00 high-grade Eagle, Cleutt Shirts, plain and pleated bosom, some coat style	$1.05

Men's Pants--Smoke Damage Only

Men's $2.50 Pants, slightly damaged by smoke	$1.10
Men's $3.00 and $3.50 Pants	$1.65
Men's $4 and $4.50 Pants, odor of smoke hardly noticeable	$2.15

We are selling agents for the Peerless and Sailor Waist high-grade Trousers, ranging in price from $5 to $10. These trousers are very little damaged, but will be sold at big reduction.

Men's and Young Men's Hats

$3 and $3.50 Hats, soft and stiff, Roeloffs and Imperials, discolored by smoke and water	$1.10
One lot of $3 and $3.50 Hats, very slightly damaged by smoke	$1.55

Umbrellas—No Noticeable Damage

One lot of $1.25 and $1.50 Umbrellas	65c
One lot of $2.00 Umbrellas	95c
One lot of $3.00 Umbrellas	$1.15

Bath Robes--Smoke Damage

$5.00 Bath Robes, damaged by smoke and water	$1.65
$6.00 and $7.00 Bath Robes, damaged by smoke only	$2.45

Smoking Jackets

$6.00 and $7.00 Smoking Jackets, damaged by smoke only	$2.15
$12.50 and $15.00 Silk Matlesse Jackets, damaged by smoke only	$4.50

$20, $30 and $35 Silk Velvet Lounging Robes and Smoking Jackets at proportionate reductions.

Underwear

One lot of odds and ends damaged by smoke and water	25c
75c Merino Underwear, damaged by smoke only	42c
$1.25 Wool Underwear, blue only, no noticeable damage	68c
$1.50 Cooper Ribbed and Winsted Mills Underwear	95c

All Furnishings Must Go. Here Are a Few Amazing Values

One lot collars damaged by water and smoke	1c
15c Arrow Brand Collars	6c
75c Silk Four-in-Hand Neckwear damaged by smoke and water	5c
50c and 75c Neckwear, slightly smoked, only	10c
25c Silk Bow Ties	2c
All of our 75c, $1 and $1.50 Neckwear that shows a mark or slight damage	35c
15c Fast Black Hose	4c
15c White Handkerchiefs	3c
20c Black Sox, smoked only	6c
Men's $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00 high grade silk Suspenders	$1.15
$2.00 Bathing Suits	95c
Bathing Suits $3.00 and $4.00	$1.35
All of our 50c, 75c and $1.00 fine Lisle Sox, slightly damaged by smoke	27c
35c and 50c Handkerchiefs, including initials	12c
25c Linen Handkerchiefs, damaged by smoke	4c
25c Fancy Sox	15c
Boston Garters	4c
75c silk New York Garters	19c
25c Rubber Collars	5c
50c Link Cuff Buttons	10c
75c and $1 Cuff Buttons and Tie Pins	18c
Men's 50c Suspenders	18c
Men's $1.00 and $1.50 Fancy Suspenders	45c
A few sizes in Monarch White Shirts	55c

One lot "Way's" Mufflers, damaged by smoke and water, formerly sold for 50c and 75c 18c

Kahn's

457 SO. BROADWAY

General Reduction Sale

We have enjoyed a most prosperous Autumn and Holiday Season. The time now approaches for clearance in many lines. We therefore begin today this "General Reduction Sale." Every department in the store participates. As you will note, the following discounts are of a sweeping character--they are indeed worth considering--they mean a considerable saving of money to every person who takes advantage of them. This great sale is for a limited period only--the time to make selections is just as soon as you possibly can. We say nothing of the quality of these goods--you know the kind of merchandise we handle. It is guaranteed always--during this sale just the same as at any other time.

Our Store is on the West Side of Spring St. Between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

33⅓ % Off Men's Suits *Excepting Dress Clothes and Uniform Suits*
33⅓ % Off Men's Overcoats and Rain Coats
20 % Off All Men's Hats and Caps *Except Stetson's*
25 % Off Men's Furnishings *Except Agency Goods*
20 % Off Boys' Clothing and Furnishings
20 % Off All Boys' Hats and Caps
33⅓ % Off all Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases
33⅓ % Off Girls' Coats

Harris & Frank (INC.)
Leading Clothiers
437-439-441 South Spring Street

Specials In Shoes
300 Pairs Men's $3.50 and $4 Shoes, $2.45
400 Pairs Boys' $2.50 Shoes, $1.95
300 Prs. Little Gents. $2.00 Shoes, $1.65

Sale Closes January 18th

BUSINESS. Barometer of the Markets—Commercial.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Jan. 3, 1907.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,851,367.62. For the corresponding day of 1907 $2,000,135.02; for the same day of 1906 $1,624,624.42.

Monday	$1,300,721.71
Tuesday	1,522,172.50
Wednesday	Holiday
Thursday	1,851,367.62
Total	$4,164,261.83
Corresponding week, 1907	4,422,130.21
Corresponding week, 1906	4,164,261.83

Following are the 1pm quotations on general and mining securities listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, ground floor, S. W. Holton building, North Main street, for yesterday's session of the exchange.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	....	$100.00
Associated Oil	$ 36.00	36.75
Bastobelle Oil	....	2.00
Edison Electric pfd	68.00	74.00
Edison Electric com	....	67.00
Hennessey Hospital	1.00	1.25
Home Telephone pfd	80.75	81.25
Home Tel. Co., com	....	14.00
L. A. Athletic Club	....	24.00
L. A. Brewing Co	....	127.00
L. A. Investment	....	1.87
L. A. Jockey Club	99.00	....
L. A. Pacific R. T. & T. Co.	....	25.00
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	25.00
San Dimas H. T. & T. Co.	....	25.00
Seaside Water Co.	....	10.00
Title G. & Trust Co. pfd	100.00	200.00
Title L. & Trust Co. pfd	100.00	200.00
Title L. & Trust Co. com	121.00	130.00
Title T. & Trust, Sec. C	121.00	130.00
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	24.00	25.00
Union Water Co.	....	10.00

OFFICIAL SALES: 10 Home Telephone preferred at 81.50, 8 at 81.75, 20 do. at 81.80, 5 at 81.85.

MINING STOCKS.

California—Greenwater District—

	Bid.	Asked.
Butte & Greenwater	....	....
Clark Copper Co	....	....
Furnace Creek Copper	.12½	....
Furnace Creek Ex. Copper	....	.12
Valley Copper	....	....
Kingsland Copper Co	....	....
California Hills M. Co.	....	.01½
Consolidated Mines Co.	.01	....
Nevada—Goldfield District—		
Goldfield Con. Mines	4.80	4.85
Goldfield-Wild Horse	.01½	.02
Gold Storm Ring C. M. Co.	....	....
Jumbo Extension Gold Mining Co.	....	....
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co.	.13½	.14
Mohawk-Johnnie	....	....
Searchlight District—		
Cash Boy	....	.01
Columbia Con. M. & M. Co.	....	....
How Ery	....	....
Nevada Searchlight	.01	.01½
Nellie	....	....
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	....	1.00
Searchlight Parallel	....	....
Searchlight Western	....	.01½
Tonopah District—		
Tonopah Con.	.30	....

OFFICIAL SALES: 10,000 Johnnie Consolidated at 14½c, 2c, at 14½c, 5c, at 14½c, 5,000 Searchlight Western at 1½; 1,000 do. at 1½, 5,000 California Hills at 1; 5,000 Nevada Searchlight at 1.

THE MARKETS.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The first active working day of the new year saw considerable business on the local market. Grocerymen and other retail dealers were in hand very early and gathered up the choice stock long before noon. There were few changes in prices while the general tone was strong. On 'Change there were some excellent sales; receipts were not up to the average for two days.

The egg market was firm and owing to the lightness of the receipts as well as the great demand and the rapid decrease in storage stocks, the price on fresh ranch candied advanced a cent up from the bottom, making the lowest price 31 cents a dozen, and many sales at 32 cents. This rate continues the favorites in trade and tat cases sold at their usual quotation. Receipts were 108 cases from the immediate vicinity. A few northern eggs were also reported in.

Butter arrivals were 14,420 pounds. The reduced price of 2½ cents per two-pound roll of creamery extras continued steady and the fullweight offering was only a trifle under the figure. The buttery storage has dropped below the million-pound mark and within the month may be all gone. Eastern creamery extras, ladles and cooking butter were freely offered and found fair purchasers.

Fifteen Dairy cheese marked the selling activity of that commodity. One or two other brands were put up for disposal but none were accepted. No receipts were reported.

Potato arrivals were 200 sacks of local Burbanks. Owing to the smallness of receipts the holdover stock, which has been accumulating for some time, was reported to be more and at the same time prices have tumed up considerably. Early Rose seed potatoes were offered at $1.65 a hundred which is much higher than several days ago. Oregons and Bighos also were put up but found no takers.

For the first time in weeks there was little activity in the onion trade and the only offering under the head was Bermudas totaled six sacks. Garlic was in good demand and there were inquiries for chile.

Bean receipts and offerings were both light. Pinks were the only variety put up and unfortunate but two sacks. The tendency of the bean market still verges toward weakness.

Ten boxes of sweet potatoes, local stock, were sold. The receipts were 131 sacks. Considerable activity characterized with the demand large on the outside.

Apples had a specially good day on 'Change. Twenty-five boxes of Newton pippins and 50 boxes of Langfords changed ownership. The collection were not confined to these two varieties but were scattered throughout the list. On the open market apples continued dull and weak. There are reported to be about two million boxes in cold storage.

Tangerines were offered in large quantities for the first time. They are of excellent quality and grown in the vicinity. Bananas also are taking on a firmer tone while lemons sell well at present figures, which are low owing to the fruit being ungraded as a rule. The only change in grapes was the opening right along with the coming of the cool weather and they are very firm at 5 cents a pound. Pineapples have gone down and can be obtained even at retail as low as 10 cents each. The average wholesale price is 24 to 26 a dozen.

Vegetables of all sorts were plentiful and prices were stationary. Lettuce is one of the few lines which Belgian prices were paid for this than heretofore. Celery is plentiful and cabbage is arriving more regularly.

There is very little poultry on the market as it was well cleaned up for the New Year trade. The price on turkeys is stronger and ducks and geese are almost unobtainable. More fish were in than usual this morning.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

DAILY CITRUS REPORTS OF EASTERN MARKETS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thirteen cars Navels, four cars lemons and one car Arizona Navels sold. The market is very strong and higher on best stock. Lemons are very steady and in good demand. The weather is clear and favorable.

NAVELS.

	Average.
Independent, fy, Cleghorn Bros	$1.70
Independent, ch, Cleghorn Bros	1.75
Bow Knot, xf, Stewart Fruit Co	1.65
Floret, ch, S. S. Fruit Ex	1.60
Mayflower, fy, C. C. U. Dist. 18	1.60
Niagara, fy, or, Stewart Ft. Co	1.55
Peerless, ch, Stewart Fruit Co	1.50
Gabriel, fy, or, Stewart Fruit Co	1.50
Schibler, fy, Stewart Fruit Co	1.45
Tahoe, xf, Redlands G. O. Assn	1.70
Iriquois, xx, Redlands G. O. Assn	1.65
Golden Orchard, Independent Ft. Co	1.55
Bear & Eagle, fy, Lindsay Cit. Assn	1.45
Squirrel, fy, A. H. Fruit Ex	1.45
Garfias, or, Riverside Ft. Ex	1.30
(Arizona Navels, Desert brand boxes averaged $2.85; half boxes, $2.05.)	

LEMONS.

Independent, fy, Cleghorn Bros	$2.60
Independent, ch, Cleghorn Bros	2.65
Limestone, xf, Limestone Co	1.15
Lomas, ch, Limestone Co	2.10
Gold Finch, ch, Sunset Fruit Ex	2.20
El Modena, ch, Sunset Fruit Ex	2.00
Quail, xx, O. K. Fruit Ex	1.45

Boston Market

BOSTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Market is higher on navels. Weather favorable; six cars sold; one on track.

NAVELS.

Peerless-Lomas, fy, T. C. Fruit Ex., Zant	$2.30
Hiawatha, ch, T. C. Fruit Ex., Zant	2.70
Blue Label, fr, T. C. Fruit Ex., Lonb	1.75
Solano, fy, Stewart Fruit Co	1.85
Signal, xf, Stewart Fruit Co	1.65
Lily, fy, Cal. Citrus Union	2.00
Hollywreath, fy, Cal. Citrus Union	2.45
A. J. H., or, Cal. Citrus Union	1.35

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Market is advancing. Weather favorable. Three navels, one lemons sold; no arrivals; 32,000 boxes Florida oranges sold.

NAVELS.

Independent, or, Highland District	$2.25
Knights, ?, ?	1.97
Success, or, F. H. Smith	1.95
Bishop, ch, Ely-Gilmore Co	1.70

LEMONS.

Trail, ch, S. T. Ft. Ex., La Man	$2.75
Special	2.12½

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

Shipments Dec. 27 to Jan. 1 inclusive, 264 cars of oranges, and 61 cars of lemons. Total shipments to date this season, 1252 cars, of which 587 were lemons. Last year up to Jan. 1, 1907, were 1122 cars, of which 334 were lemons.

HOLIDAY INDIGESTION.

STOCKS SLUGGISH, DEMAND IS LIGHT.

The New Year's holiday did not influence the mining stock market in a salutary way and yesterday's session of the Los Angeles-Nevada Exchange developed a strong tendency to sluggishness, with a disposition to sell at lower prices. The formal sales on the San Francisco board seemed to denote a similar tendency, and were instrumental, therefore, from that point.

There was a long list of bids and offers, which included several heretofore unlisted issues, particularly in Tonopah district, but there was little response to trade, the brokers appearing listless and distraught. Physical condition appeared to be reflected in an evident financial indigestion.

Goldfield Consolidated started the day with sales of 300 at 5 cents, floating bid, but developed a soft spot later in the day and sold off to 4.80 and then to 4.87½. The informal close remained at the latter figure, with offers 2½ points higher. There was apparently no tangible reason for the decline, but the general apathetic condition of the mining atmosphere.

Daisy exhibited its chronic state as the leader in Goldfield issues, but even it was comparatively neglected on a weaker demand. Sales at 32 at the formal opening later fell to 30. At the informal, bulls had accumulated more courage and the first sale recorded was at the morning's high figure. Later it fell to the morning's closing sale quotation, with offerings one point higher, and total sales for the day of 1500 shares.

Johnnie again held its position as the leading trader on the entire list, with total transfers of 32,000 at from 14½ to 15c, closing the day in strong demand at ¼ below the high sale price. Inside bids for 100,000 shares, or any part, at that figure, failed to bring forth responses. It is generally believed that the mill, which has now been running since Christmas, has shown good results, but there is much complaint among dealers at the alleged difficulty in obtaining definite statements from the management.

Atlanta came into play to the extent of 200 shares at prices approximating those obtaining when the best sales were recorded a week ago, while Mayflower of Bullfrog registered a sale of 500 shares at 34½, which sold on a seller-ten basis of 2.85 at the informal, a loss of only 2½ points from Tuesday's close. Jumbo Extension and Combination were neglected at lower prices. Red Top was inquired for at 12c and Nevada Con. moved up to 5 on definite assurance of settlement of recent internecine troubles.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, California ranch, selected, 32@35; fresh ranch, loose, case count, 29@32; eastern, fresh, candled, 28@30; storage, selected, 26@28.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 2½; creamery, firsts, 29@30; creamery, seconds, 26@28; dairy butter, 25; cooking, 24; eastern, extra, 30.

OLEO—Extra fancy, 20@21; fancy, 18@19; choice, 17@18; solid creamery, 22@23; in tubs, 1c more for 1-lb. rolls; 1c for 2-lb. rolls.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 20; Cal. Y. A., 21; storage cheese, 19@20½; fresh, 17½@18; eastern cheese, 19@20; Swiss, 23@24; Limburger, 20; twins, 19@19½; singles, 19@19½; hand, 20; Domestic, 22; imp., 32; Limburger, 20; cheddars, 17½@18; brick cream, 20; Dom. tub, 17½; Dom. block, 19.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 3.75; Lady Washington, No. 1, 3.75; small white, No. 1, 3.75@3.85; Limas, No. 1, 4.50@4.75; American lentils, 100 lbs., 3.50; Red Kidneys, 4.25.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, new stock, 11; blackberries, 50 1-lb. cartons, 14; Citron, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 22; Currants, new, choice, bulk, 7; repicked, 8; fancy, 10; packages, 12½; fancy, 10-lb. packages, 13; Dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 6½; Fards, fancy, 10-lb. cases, 6½; Golden, fancy, 6½; Golden, choice, 5½; Sairs, fancy, 5½; Peaches, choice, unpeeled, 6; peeled, 10; Pears, fancy, 7½; choice, 6½; Peels, lemon or orange, 10s, 8; Plums, fancy pitted, 8; unpitted, 4; Prunes, 30-40s, 5½; 40-50s, 5c; 50-60s, 4½; 60-70s, 3½; 70-80s, 3c; 80-90s, 2½; 90-100s, 2c; 100-120s, 1½; 120-140s, 1½; 140-160s, 1½; 160-180s, 1½; 180-200s, 1½; 200-220s, 1½; 220-240s, 1½; 240-260s, 1½; Whole packed in 50-lb. boxes, ½c less; in 1-lb. boxes, extra; in 10-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Prunes, Silver, fancy, 5c, 11; apricots, 12@13.

RAISINS — For Loz, layers, 2-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.60; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 3.60; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.25; clusters, 3-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.75; clusters, 3-crown, 2-lb. boxes, 80; clusters, 4-crown, 2-lb. boxes, 1.00; clusters, 5-crown, 2-lb. boxes, 1.20; clusters, 6-crown, 12 2½-lb. cartons, 4.50; clusters, 6-crown, 24 1-lb. cartons, 4.50. Loose Muscatels, per lb., 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 6½; 3-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 6-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 5½; Seedless Sultanas, 20-lb. boxes, 8; Thompson's Seedless, fancy, 8½; Thompson's Seedless, choice, 7½; Seeded, fancy, 8; Seeded, choice, 7½; Seeded, Bleached, fancy, 10 1-lb. 14. Seeded, fancy "Eagle," 24 1-lb. 11; fancy "Catalina," 20 1-lb. 11; fancy "Angelus," 24 ½-lb. 12½; fancy "Imperial," 24 ½-lb. 12½; fancy "Lion," 24 ½-lb. 12½; fancy "Arrow," 24 ½-lb. 12½; Seedless, fancy, 25-lb. boxes, 7½; Seedless, choice, 6½; Seedless, prime, 6; Seedless, fancy, 50 1-lb. 7½; Seedless, choice, 50 1-lb. 6½; Seedless, prime, 50 1-lb. 6; Seeded, fancy, 50 1-lb. 7½; Seeded, choice, 50 1-lb. 6½; Seeded, prime, 50 1-lb. 6; all-month, fancy, paper-shell, 12; almonds, choice softshell, 12; assorted nuts, 25-lb. boxes, 12; Brazils, large, new crop, 12; cocoanuts, Ital., 5.50; filberts, large, new crop, 12; peanuts, Ital., 6; peanuts, eastern, "Suns," raw, 5½@6; peanuts, eastern, "Suns," roasted, 7½; peanuts, Cal., "specials," raw, 9; peanuts, Cal., "specials," roasted, 10; peanuts, fancy, raw, 8@8½; peanuts, fancy, roasted, 10; pecans, 15; walnuts, No. 1, softshell, 17; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 14; walnuts, black, 8; chestnuts, 15@16; chestnuts, 14@16; popcorn, 5@6 per lb.

HONEY — Comb honey, 1-lb. frames, 16@17; light amber, 15; water white, 16; extracted, light amber, 6@7; water white, 8; white, 7.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, fancy, 2.50@3.50; choice, 2.00@2.50; standard, 1.50@2.00; choice standard Valencias, 2.00@2.50; fancy, 3.00@3.50; choice, 2.50@3.00; lemons, fancy, 3.00@3.50; choice, 2.50@3.00; limes, 75@1.00; pomelos, 1.50@2.00; bananas, 2.00@3.00; Hawaiian, 2.00@2.50; pineapples, 2.50@3.00; Tangerines, 2.00@2.50 a box.

FRESH FRUITS—Delicious apples, 2.00; Newtown apples, 1.25@1.50; Spitzenbergs, 2.75@3.00; Lawyer, 1.50; Colorado Jonathans, 2.50; Gano, 2.00@2.50; Grimes, 1.25@2.00; Hallimore, 1.25@2.00; Ben Davis, 1.25@1.50; Baldwins, 1.50; Reds, 1.50; Newtown pippins, 1.50; Arkansas Blacks, 1.50@1.90; black tips, 2.50@3.00; Cashas, 1.25@1.50 per doz.; Santa Claus melons, 4.00@5.00; crates of grapes, 5.00@6.00; per crate; Red Emperor, 1.50; Cornichon, 1.75; Black Morocco, 90 per lb.; Verdots, 1.00@1.25; Queens, 1.50; Malagas, 1.50; Tokays, 1.50; Barbiers, prime, 90 per lb.; Year of Wakefield pears, 9 per lb.; Winter Nelis pears, 6 per lb.; persimmons, 2.00@2.50 a crate; pineapples, 4.00@4.50 a doz.; pomegranates, 1.50@1.75 per box; tangerines, 1.50@1.90; Mexican limes, 4.00@5.00.

BERRIES — Strawberries, Mosels, 75@; Gardens, 2; Truitons, 50@; raspberries, 20@17; blackberries, 20@11; guavas, 10; cranberries, Howes, 10.00; Wisconsin, 12.00@12.50.

ONIONS—Silverskin onions, 2.50; Yellow Danvers, 1.00@1.25 per cwt.; Minnesota red onions, 2.00@2.25 per cwt.; Australian Brown onions, 2.25@2.50 per cwt.; Australian Brown, 2.50@2.60; Globe onions, 2.00@2.25; Oregons, 2.00.

POTATOES—Local Burbank potatoes, 1.10@1.50 per sack; northern sweets, 1.75@2.25; seed potatoes, 2.00@2.50 per cwt.; Highland Burbanks, 1.15@1.35; Salinas, 1.75@2.00; Colorados, 2.00; early Rose, 1.65@1.75; Bliss Triumph, 1.65@1.75; Oregons, 1.75@2.00; Idahos, 1.35.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 2@3c; carrots, 2@3c; parsley, 3 per doz.; spearmint, 20@25 per doz.; turnips, 2@3c; oyster plant, 20@25 per doz.; radishes, 10@15 per doz.; cucumbers, 1.00@1.50 per doz.; green onions, 20 per doz.; leeks, 20 per doz.; lettuce, common, 20@25 per doz., 40@50 per crate; celery, 40 per doz.; peppers, 10@15c per lb.; garlic, 6@7c per lb.; parsnips, 2@3 per doz.; tomatoes, 1.75@2.50; green tomatoes, 50 per box; pie pumpkins, 1c per lb.; celery, 40@50 per doz.; cucumbers, 1.00@1.50 per doz.; pickles, 75; cultivated mushrooms, 1.00 per lb.; wild mushrooms, 25@30 per lb.; Jerusalem artichokes, 15@1.00; watercress, 25@40 per doz. bunches; chile colorado, 25@30 per lb.; chile verde, 25@30 per lb.; Brussels sprouts, 10@15 per lb.; green corn, 1.50@1.75 per box; green chile peppers, 20@25 per lb.; okra, 10 per lb.; eggplant, 10@15 per lb.; bell peppers, 20@25 per lb.; Lima beans, 5@6 per lb.; celery root, 25 per doz.; rhubarb, 1.50@1.75 per box; Hubbard squash, 2@3 per lb.; artichokes, 1.00@1.25 per doz.; cauliflower, 10@15 per doz.; horseradish, 12½c per lb.; dill, 15 per lb.

POULTRY—Dealers sell, live weight: Old roosters, 8@9; young roosters, 2 lbs. and up, 10@11; stags, 4 lbs., 10@11; broilers, 1½ to 2 lbs., 20@22½; broilers, 2½ lbs. and up, 25@27½; fryers, 2½ lbs. to 3½ lbs., 17@18; broilers, 1¼ to 2 lbs., 18@20.

Dressed, fancy, 1, per lb., 22; second, 20; third, 18@20; prime, 1, per lb., 17½; veal, fancy, 1, per lb., 17½; prime, 1, per lb., 17½; veal, 1, per lb., 15@16; turkeys, 1, per lb., 22@25; ducks, old, 1, per lb., 18@20; ducks, young, 1, per lb., 18@20; geese, 1, per lb., 15@16; pigeons, young, 1.50@1.75; squabs, 2.50@3.00; squabs, 1.50@2.00; pigeons, old, 1.00; pigeons, young, 1.50@1.75.

GAME—Rabbits, cottontail, 1.50@2.00; hares, 1.50@2.00; Oregon and Washington, 1.25@1.50.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.02½@1.02½; milling, 1.00@1.02½.

Barley—Feed, 1.01½@1.05; brewing, 1.07½@1.07½; Chevalier, nominal.

Oats—Red, 1.30@2.00; white, 1.75@1.85; black, 2.75@3.00.

Milistuffs—Middlings, 21.00@22.00; rolled barley, 32.00@36.00; oatmeal, 4; cut grain, 4.50; rolled oats, 4.50.

Hay—Wheat, 12.00@17.50; wheat and oat, 12.50@15.50; oat, wheat, 10.00@12.50; oat, tame, 12.00@15.00; alfalfa, 9.00@14.00; straw, 40@45.

Hides—Salted steers, 60 lbs. and over, 13½; salted steers, 25@ lbs. and over, 12½; salted cows, 12½; salted kips, 60 lbs. and over, 12½; salted kips, 25@ lbs. and over, 12½; salted calf, 25@ lbs. and over, 14½; salted calf, 15@ lbs. and over, 14½; dry hides, 20@ lbs. and over, 15½; dry hides, 15@ lbs. and over, 15½; dry kips, 25@ lbs. and over, 15½; dry kips, 15@ lbs. and over, 15½; dry calf, 15@ lbs. and over, 15½; dry calf, 10@ lbs. and over, 15½; dry goat, 15; dry kid, 15; dry Angora goat, 20@25; dry Angora kid, 20@25; salted horse hides, 3.00@3.50; salted horse manes, 25; dry horse tails, 50; dry horse manes, 25; dry cattle tails, 15; dry sheep pelts, shearlings, 10@15; short wool, 15@20; medium wool, 20@25; long wool, 25@30; dry pelts, 10; goat skins, 25@30; deerskins, salted, 20@25; deerskins, dry, 25@30; antelope skins, 10@15; coyote skins, 50@75; badger skins, 50@75; bear skins, 1.00@2.00; wolf skins, 50@75; fox skins, 50@75; wildcat skins, 25@30; mink skins, 1.00@1.50; muskrat skins, winter, 10; muskrat skins, fall, 5; muskrat skins, kittens, 3; beaver skins, 3.00@4.00; otter skins, 5.00@6.00; raccoon skins, 50@75; civet cat skins, 10@15; gray fox skins, 50@75; red fox skins, 1.00@1.50; cross fox skins, 3.00@4.00; silver fox skins, 10.00@15.00; lynx skins, 1.00@1.50; fisher skins, 3.00@4.00; tallow, No. 1, 3½; tallow, No. 2, 3; grease, white, 3½; grease, yellow, 3; grease, brown, 2½.

MUTTON—Dressed muttons, ewes, per lb., 10½; dressed muttons, wether, 11; dressed muttons, yearlings, 11½; milk lambs, 12; sheep, 7½.

PORK — Dressed hogs, per lb., head on, 10; dressed hogs, head off, 11; trimmed hams, 12; pork loins, 14; fresh pigs, 9; pork shoulders, 10½; pork butts, 12½; fresh pig hocks, 7½; pig bellies, fresh, 14; leaf lard, 11; pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 8; fresh pork spare ribs, 11; pork tenderloins, 20; pork kidneys, 5; pig's feet, 5; pig's heads, 3½; pig's tongues (packed, sweet or fresh,) 20; cleaned hogs' heads, per lb., 1½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog bristles, rash, 5; pork kidneys, per doz., 15; pig tails, per lb., 4; neck bones, per lb., 4½.

BACON—Winchester S.-lb. bacon, 19½; Winchester bacon, 17½; 12 Ave., 19½; Empire, 19; Star, 18@17; Diamond C, 18@17; Diamond C bacon, 18@17; Diamond C bacon, 22; Reliance bacon, 19½; Diamond C bacon, 22; Reliance bacon, 15½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 21; Rex Breakfast bacon, 16½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 6-8 avg., 19; Regal bacon, 6-8 avg., 19½; Regal bacon, 8-10 avg., 18½; Helmet bacon, 6-10 avg., 17½; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 19½; White Label bacon, 8 to 9 lbs., 19½; Armour's White bacon, 6-8 avg., 19½; Armour's White bacon, 8-10 avg., 18½; Special bacon, 10½; Western bacon, 6-8 avg., 17½; Western bacon, 8-10 avg., 17½.

DRY SALTED MEATS — Dry salt narrow bellies, 12½; dry salt clear bellies, 16-20 avg., 12½; dry salt clear backs, 12½; dry salt clear backs, 14@15½; short clear bellies, 14@15½; bellies, 16-18 avg., 14½.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey-comb tripe, half-bbls., 5.50; honey-comb tripe, kegs, 1.85; honey-comb tripe, kits, 1.00; extra plain tripe, half-bbls., 2.50; extra plain tripe, kegs, 1.00; extra plain tripe, kits, 55; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00; pigs' tongues, spiced, kits, 1.00.

HAMS—Per lb., Reno, 16½; Reno skinned hams, 16½; Diamond C, 16½; Diamond C skinned hams, 11½; boiled hoseium Rex hams, 21; mild-cured hams, 14; plain hams, 14; Winchester, smoked, 9 to 12 avg., 15½; Winchester, smoked, 12 to 14 avg., 15½; Premium, 16-18 avg., 17½; Winchester picnics, 10; Winchester skinned hams, 21; Gold Band, 16; California hams, 12; Premium skinned hams, 16; Premium hams, 12@14; 12 Ave. hams, 12½@14½; Orange Blossom, 12; Ashland hams, 14; mixed ham, 13; Cylinder boiled hams, 22; Premium boiled hams, 24; Oxford hams, 18; Star hams, 10-12 avg., 16; Armour's Star hams, 14-16 avg., 15½; Star hams, 12-14 avg., 15½; Helmet hams, 14-16 avg., 15½; Star skinned hams, 15½; Armour's boiled hams, 27; Armour's boiled ham ends, 21; Armour's smoke ham, 16; Regal hams, 16; Atlas hams, 14; Armour's Shield hams, 16 to 18 lbs. avg., 14; Armour's Shield hams, 18 to 20 lbs. avg., 13½; Shield picnics, 10; Shield hams, 16-18 avg., 16½; Ashland hams, 8 avg., 14; Jefferson hams, 20½; Western hams, 12.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (hams in,) bbls., 5.50; rumps (hams out,) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 8.00; half-bbls., 4.50; rolled plate (boneless) bbls., 9.00; half-bbls., 5.00; Hamburger bacon, bbls., 14.75; half-bbls., 7.75; family pork, bbls., 25.00; half-bbls., 13.00; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 26.00; half-bbls., 12.50; fancy pig pork (wide,) bbls., 30.00; half-bbls., 15.00; S. P. pigs' feet, bbls., 7.50; half-bbls., 3.75.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per lb., 12; cases, 2 10-lb. cans, 10½; leaf lard, 11½; Red Rose lard, 11½; Premium lard, 11; Silver Leaf lard, 12; Jewel, 12; Compound lard, 9; Compound lard, 8½; Cottolene, 11; Snow Drift lard, 11½; White Cottosuet, 10½; Mission lard, 10½; Shield lard, 11½; Star lard, 10½; Armour's Compound lard, 9; western, 9½; Compound lard, 8½; Diamond C, 9; Diamond C, 8½; Diamond C, 8; Diamond C, 7½; fresh pork sausage, 10; vegetable lard, 9½; K. C. lard, 13½; Armour's Shield lard, 11½; Armour's Shield Pure lard, 12½; Armour's White, 9½.

SAUSAGE — Bologna, per lb., 8; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 9½; blood sausage, 9; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond C sausage, links and bulk, 12½; beef sausage, 8½; fresh pork sausage, links, 10; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 10; Spanish pork sausage, 9; Wiener sausage, 9; Frankfurt sausage, 9; New England bam sausage, 12; mince-meat sausage, in sacks, 12; German sausage, 12; Milan Salami, 20; Mortadella, 20; Gothaer, 20; Star Summer, 25@27; Arles, 25.

SALT—Western, bonded through L. A. jobber, Table salt, cartons, 85, per case, 1.60; Princess salt, cartons, 35 lb. per case, 1.75; 100-lb. bales, Crown brand, all-sized packets, per bale, 2.00; Washington Daily, per bale, per ton, 15.50; 100s, per ton, 14.50; 25s, per ton, 12.50; Crown or Grab, Dairy, 50s, 12.50; 100s, 14.00; Rock and half-ground, 50s, 11.00; 100s, 13.00; granulated and ½-ground, large, per ton, 12.50; ice-cream and evaporated, sacks, 50s, per ton, 14.00; 100s, per ton, 12.00; hide and ice-cream, No. 2, per ton, 12.50; lump, stock, imported, per ton, 11.25. Special prices in car lots.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls. add 20c; ½-bbls., 30c, and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are cash less 2c per cwt. 10 days. Beet granulated, 4.65; western cane and fruit granulated, 4.55; C. A. H. cane and beet granulated, 4.55; Cube A, crushed & fine crushed, 4.80; Cubes, 4.95; Confectioners' A, 4.65; western Con. A, 4.55; Golden C, 4.55; D, 4.45; Bowles & Co. powdered, 5-lb. boxes, 5.15; Bowles & Co. powdered, 2-lb. boxes, 5.25; Bowles & Co. extra C, 4.35; Magnolia A, 4.30; extra C, 4.25; Dominos, 20-5, Bar sugar, 5.00; Cal. Club, Longs or Shasta, 25-lb. tins, 4.50; 50-lb. boxes, 4.40.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents, A1 flour, per bbl., 5.20; Globe flour, 4.90; Select California white wheat, Banquet flour, per bbl., 5.00; Towel flour, 4.80; Silver Star flour, 4.80; XXX flour, 4.70; Capitol flour, 4.60; A1 hard flour, 4.55; Aurora, 4.50; Mikado, 4.50; Trophy, 4.50; Crown flour, 4.45.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Kansas, 4.55; New Sour, 4.80; Mayflower, 4.80; Eclipse, 5.40.

FLOUR—	½ bags.	5-lb. ½s.	10-lb. ½s.	25-lb. ½s.	50-lb. ½s.
Perf. Pat. Pastry	....	....	2.10	....	....
Buckwheat flour	....	$2.70	2.50	$2.45	$2.40
Graham flour	....	....	1.90	1.85	1.80
Rye flour in sacks	....	....	1.60	1.55	1.50
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	....	....	1.60	1.55	1.50
Oatmeal, ground	....	4.25	4.15	4.05	4.00
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	....	4.30	3.90	3.85	4.00
Hominy, large or small	....	....	1.60	1.55	1.50
Cracked wheat	....	2.85	2.60	2.50	2.40
Entire wheat flour	....	....	2.10	2.05	2.00
Pearl barley	....	....	2.50	2.45	2.40
Split peas, green	....	4.25	3.65	3.60	3.55
Split peas, yellow	....	4.25	3.65	3.60	3.55
Gluten flour	....	4.25	3.65	3.60	3.55
Farina	....	4.00	3.50	3.45	3.40
Nutrina Gem	....	$2.50	4.60	4.50	4.40
Rolled wheat, in barrels, net weight 125 lbs., per sack	....	....	....	....	4.75
Buckwheat flour (pure, seamless sacks,) 100 lbs.	....	....	....	....	3.60
Buckwheat flour (pure, seamless sacks,) 200 lbs.	....	....	....	....	3.75

Metal Market.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Jan 2.—Bar silver, 54½d.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Lead, higher at 3.60 to 3.65.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Copper, firm and higher. Lake, 13.62½ to 13.67½; electrolytic, 13.50 to 13.75; casting, 13.25 to 13.50.

GRAIN AND FEED—Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.55; wheat, No. 1, 1.50; wheat, cracked, 1.60; corn, 1.50; corn, No. 2, 1.70; corn, cracked corn, 1.55; feed meal, 1.60; bran, heavy, 1.40; rolled barley, 1.55; chicken meal, 2.50; cotton seed meal, 1.75; coconut cake, 1.55; chorts, 1.35; oats, white Oregon, 1.90; oats, red California, 1.80@1.85; eastern Kaffir corn, 1.85; K. & P. corn, 1.50; cocoanut meal, 1.60.

	½	¼	⅛	10c	25c
Excelsior Chick Food	$1.75	$1.00	$0.55	$0.30	$1.00
" Fattening Food	1.25	1.00	0.55	0.30	1.00
" Egg Food	.75	....	....	....	1.00
" Moulting Food	....	....	....	....	1.00
" Chick Food, 50 lb.					

lb. sacks per case, ... 3.25

POP CORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, western, per lb., 5; new ear corn, 1.75@4.00 per 100 lbs.

LINSEED OIL — Boiled, 50 barrels, 61; in cases, 6c higher on each kind; raw, in barrels, 59.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 77c.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 14.00@15.00; No. 2, 13.00@14.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 15.00; No. 2, 14.00@15.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 15.00@16.00; No. 2, 13.00@14.00; northern alfalfa, 13.00@17.00; local, 13.00@17.00.

Local Petroleum Prices.

Quotations on petroleum products, f. o. b. tank cars Los Angeles.

GASOLINE AND DISTILLATE—Mineral Crown gasoline, bulk, 10c per gallon; Mineral Crown gasoline, cases, 14c per gallon; No. 1 engine distillate, bulk, 9½c per gallon; No. 1 engine distillate, cases, 13½c per gallon.

FUEL OIL—$0.65 per barrel.

ILLUMINATING OILS — Water white, 9½c per gallon, tank wagons, 9½c, in barrels, 12c; Pearl, in cases, 17½c per gallon; Astral, cases, 17½c per gallon; Eocene, cases, 17½c per gallon; Star, cases, 17½c per gallon; V. M. & P. naphtha, barrels, 10c; cases, 15c.

LOS ANGELES-NEVADA EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

The closing quotations of the Nevada mining stocks, made yesterday on the Los Angeles-Nevada Mining Stock Exchange, ground floor of the H. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Spring streets, together with the regular call sales of the afternoon informal call, were as follows:

CALIFOR

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	36	30	33	New York	40	32	36
Washington	46	34	40	Buffalo	36	24	30
Pittsburgh	42	26	34	Cincinnati	38	30	34
Chicago	34	22	28	St. Paul	18	10	14
St. Louis	42	30	36	Jacksonville	72	56	64
Kansas City	40	20	30	New Orleans	70	54	62
Los Angeles	66	51	58	El Paso	62	44	53

*The maximum is for day before yesterday; the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 2.—[Reported by A. B. Wolfsner, Local Observer.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.01; at 5 p.m., 30.01. Thermometer at the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 61 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 62 per cent.; 5 p.m., 71 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., southeast, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 68 deg.; minimum, 51 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions. — An immense high-pressure area occupies the central portion of the country, while a marked depression is central over British Columbia. Considerable cloudy weather prevails this morning on the Pacific Slope, and rain continues in the Pacific Northwest west of the Cascade Mountains. Elsewhere in the United States, no precipitation of consequence has occurred. The present distribution of the Pacific Slope is favorable for generally fair weather in Los Angeles vicinity tonight and Friday, with some clouds at intervals.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Friday, with some cloudiness; variable winds.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 2.—Rainfall data:

	Seasonal to date.	Normal.
[illegible]	15.05	17.37
[illegible]	6.64	10.32
[illegible]	4.52	7.39
[illegible]	4.39	6.56
[illegible]	4.19	.
[illegible]	2.04	5.09
[illegible]	6.34	6.17
[illegible]	2.67	5.40
[illegible]	2.17	3.78

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The weather has been generally fair throughout California and Nevada. No rain has fallen in the southwestern portion of the United States, and the winds are light at nearly all stations. The usual fog will probably prevail in the great valleys.

Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Friday, with fog in the morning; light south winds.

Santa Clara Valley: Cloudy Friday; light south winds.

Sacramento Valley: Cloudy Friday, with fog in the morning; light east winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Fair Friday, with fog in the morning; light north winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Friday; light east winds.

Arizona: Fair Friday and Saturday.

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey.] Gauge height Colorado River, 13 feet; yesterday, [illegible].

SHIPPING.

PORT LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, JAN. 2.

Steamship George W. Elder, Capt. Jensen, from Portland, via Eureka, and San Francisco.

Steamship P. Kilgore, Capt. McLellan, from San Francisco and way ports.

Steamer Whittier, Capt. Swanson, from Hartford.

SAILED—THURSDAY, JAN. 2.

Steamer Jim Butler, Capt. Olsen, for San Diego.

Steamship George W. Elder, Capt. Jensen, for Portland, via Eureka and San Francisco.

Steamship P. A. Kilburn, Capt. McLellan, for San Francisco and way ports.

Steamer Helene, Capt. Andreasen, for San Pedro.

Steamer Raymond, Capt. Johnson, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.

PORT—THURSDAY, JAN. 2.

Steamer Sibyl Marston, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Bee, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Steamer Dispatch, South Pac. wharf.
Steamer Redondo, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer Whittier, Crescent wharf.
Gasoline schooner CITY, Salt Lake wharf.
SAVE Alden Besse, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Willie R. Hume, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Comet, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Sea Foam, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Schooner J. W. Cline, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Enego, So. Cal. wharf.
Schooner Lurline, Crescent wharf.
Schooner Andy Mahoney, So. Cal. wharf.
Schooner Caroline, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Schooner Ludlow, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Cecelia, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Ariel, Crescent wharf.
Schooner William Renton, S. E. Wood wharf.
Schooner Expansion, S. P. wharf.
Schooner James Ralph, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

TO LEAVE—JAN. 2.

Schooner Willie R. Hume, Capt. McKenzie, for Everett, in ballast.
Oil steamer Whittier, Capt. Swanson, for San Diego.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Steamer Sibyl Marston, from Hoquiam, via San Francisco.
Schooner Mabel Gale, from Everett.
Schooner Ekwesier, from Eureka.
Schooner Omega, from Astoria.
Schooner Mariner, from Hoquiam.
Schooner John A. Campbell, from Astoria.
Schooner Prosper, from Bellingham.
Schooner Winslow, from Tacoma.
Schooner Commerce, from Tacoma.
Schooner Ruby, from Bandon.
Schooner Ariel, from Hoquiam.
Schooner Taurus, from Mukilteo.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

French bark Marechal Davout, Capt. Rabbe, 120 days from Antwerp, via Hobart, with cargo of cement.

British steamer Beechley, Capt. Forsyth, 24th inst, at Antwerp, loading for San Pedro.

Japanese steamer Eva, Capt. Schanwandt, 29th inst, at Otaru, Japan, loading.

The passenger steamer Hermosa, makes daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

Movement of "Mosquito Fleet."

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, JAN. 2.

Launches San Diego, from Catalina Island.
Launches Orient, Music and Eagle, from Long Beach, with passengers.

SAILED.

Launches Orient, Music, and Eagle, for Long Beach, with passengers.
Launch San Diego, for Catalina Island.
Eight sailboats for fishing banks, to return with fish for local wholesalers.

Tide Table for San Pedro.

		High.	Low.
Friday,	Jan. 3.....	3:23 a.m.	3:27 p.m.
Saturday,	" 4.....	10:04 p.m.	3:39 p.m.
Sunday,	" 5.....	10:56 a.m.	2:43 a.m.
Monday,	" 6.....	10:56 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 7.....	9:02 a.m.	4:55 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 8.....	11:09 p.m.	4:55 p.m.
Thursday,	" 9.....	10:10 a.m.	4:17 a.m.
			5:36 p.m.
Friday,	" 10.....	0:28 a.m.	5:17 a.m.
		11:09 p.m.	6:03 p.m.
Saturday,	" 11.....	1:16 a.m.	6:58 a.m.
		12:25 p.m.	7:37 p.m.
Sunday,	" 12.....	2:01 a.m.	7:42 a.m.
		1:36 p.m.	7:57 p.m.
Monday,	" 13.....	2:36 a.m.	9:10 a.m.
		2:06 p.m.	9:04 p.m.

Port Items.

WEATHER: Cloudy at 5 p.m.; wind, southwest; velocity, 11 miles.

The North Pacific Company's steamship George W. Elder, Capt. Jensen, arrived this morning from Portland, via Eureka and San Francisco, with passengers, and 500 tons of miscellaneous freight and merchandise. The Elder cleared on the return trip tonight.

The steamer Helene, Capt. Andreasen, and steamer Jim Butler, Capt. Olsen, finished discharging part cargoes of lumber at this port and cleared today for San Diego, where remainder will be discharged.

The oil steamship Whittier, Capt. Swanson, arrived this morning from Port Hartford, and will take a cargo of crude oil for the Union Oil Company at San Diego, sailing tomorrow.

The steamer J. R. Stetson, Capt. Bonnifield, is due to arrive tomorrow from Kingston, via San Francisco, carrying a full cargo of [illegible].

The Merchants' Independent Company's steamer P. A. Kilburn, Capt. McLellan, arrived this morning from San Francisco and Eureka with cargo consigned to the Crescent Wharf and Warehouse Company. The Kilburn cleared on the return trip tonight.

The schooner Willie R. Hume, Capt. McKenzie, has finished discharging a lumber cargo, and is scheduled to sail tomorrow in ballast for Everett to reload.

The steamer Lodore, Capt. Tornstrom, is due and ready to sail in ballast for Gray's Harbor to reload, but is delayed awaiting [illegible].

Capt. W. J. Maloney has succeeded Capt. P. Larsen as master of the steamer Hueneme. Capt. W. W. Jamison is now master of the steamer Gaspar, vice Capt. C. Henning. Capt. F. J. Probst has been licensed as master of the steamer Lakme. Capt. M. J. Madsen has relieved Capt. H. Paulsen as master of the steamer Santa.

FOR A NEW SUBWAY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—The public service Commission approved preliminary plans for a new subway extending from the Battery to the Bronx, in nearly a straight line. The estimated cost is $80,000,000.

GENERAL EASTERN.

WHEAT MARKET HAS STRENGTH.

BIDS GREATLY EXCEED OFFERINGS AT TIMES.

Sharp Bulge at Liverpool, Liberal Clearances at Seaboard and Forecasts of Small Shipments from Argentina Are Bullish Factors. Corn Prices Also Advance.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—The wheat market was strong all day, and at times the bids greatly exceeded the offerings. The sharp bulge at Liverpool was the chief bullish factor, although small receipts in the Northwest, liberal clearances at the seaboard and forecasts of small shipments from Argentina were important aids to the bulls. A moderate recession took place late in the day, but the close was strong. May opened ½@¾c to ¼@1c higher at 1.08½ to 1.08¾, sold up to 1.09⅞, and closed at 1.09¼. The corn market opened strong and gained in strength during the day. May opened ⅝c to ¾c higher, at 60⅜ to 61, sold at 60⅝, and then advanced to 61⅝. The close was at 61½@61⅝. Trade in oats was quiet, but the market was strong in sympathy with wheat and corn. May opened ⅝c higher, at 44⅜, sold off to 44⅛, and then advanced to 44½. The close was at 44⅜.

Provisions were firm on the strength of grain, and a decline in the number of hogs at western packing centers. May pork closed up 25½c; lard was 10c higher, and ribs, 17½c up.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.04@1.12; No. 3, 1.01@1.06; No. 2 red, 1.08@1.01½; No. 3 corn, 59@60; No. 2 yellow, 61½@64½; No. 3 oats, 44; No. 2 white, 46½@51; No. 2 rye, 78; fair to choice malting barley, 86@96; No. 1 northwestern flaxseed, 1.11; prime timothy seed, 4.25@4.40; clover, contract grades, 14.75; short ribs, sides (loose), 6.60@7.87½; mess pork, per bbl., 13.90@13.75; lard, per 100 lbs., 7.87½@7.90; short clear sides (boxed), 6.87½@7.12½; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.26.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	17,100	24,200
Wheat, bushels	37,500	57,600
Corn, "	253,200	230,400
Oats, "	404,200	274,400
Rye, "	2,000	2,300
Barley, "	42,900	42,900

Dairy Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 24@28; dairy, 22@25; eggs, firm at mark, cases included, 29@30; firsts, 28; prime firsts, 26; cheese, steady, 12½@13.

Grain and Provisions.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Following is the range of prices today:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	108@108⅛	109⅜	108¼	109⅜
July	90-90¼	90⅜	89⅝	90⅛
September	86¾-⅞	87⅜	86⅝	87⅛
Corn—				
May	60.7	61.6	60.5	61.5@
July	59.3	60.2	59.1	60.1
September	59.7	60.1	59.4	60.1
Oats—				
May	44.3	45.1	44.2	44.7
July	34.2	34.7	34.1	34.5
September	33	33.3	32.7	33
Pork—				
January	13.67	13.95	13.40	13.85
May	13.30	13.55	13.15	13.52
Lard—				
January	7.72	7.82	7.72	7.82
May	7.92	8.05	7.90	8.02
Ribs—				
January	6.30	6.45	6.47	6.50
May	7.30	7.35	7.10	7.32

Boston Copper Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

BOSTON, Jan. 2.—Coppers were steady today, but the trading was not on a very large scale. The London metal quotation has shown a gradual improvement during the last week and steadiness of Amalgamated Copper has imparted a better feeling. Good copper stocks are unquestionably cheap, but still, little can be expected until the money situation becomes normal.

The market close as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adventure	7⅜	7½
Arcadian	9	9¼
Allouez	39¾	39⅞
Atlantic	9	9⅛
Arizona Commercial	31	34
Bingham Con.	60	60½
Boston Con.	17⅝	17¾
Balakala	1¾	2
Butte Coalition	15¾	15⅞
Calumet & Arizona	102	102½
Calumet & Hecla	660	665
Centennial	24½	25
Con. Mercur	38	39
Copper Range	57¾	58
Daly West	7	7½
Elm River	80	81
Franklin	11⅜	11½
Granby	72½	73
Helvetia	2	2¼
Isle Royale	17¾	18
Lasalle	13½	13⅝
Massachusetts	2¾	2⅞
Mexican Con.	7¾	8
Michigan	2	2⅛
Mohawk	57	58
Nevada Con.	19½	19⅝
North Butte	61⅝	62
Old Colony	90	92
Old Dominion	37	37½
Osceola	70	71
Parrot	39	39½
Quincy	107	108
Rhode Island	2⅝	2¾
Shannon	10	10⅛
Santa Fe	2¾	2⅞
Tamarack	80	82
Trinity	13⅝	13¾
U. S. Smelting	43⅝	44
U. S. Smelting pfd.	87½	88
Utah Con.	39	39½
Victoria	3¼	3⅜
Winona	2¾	3
Wyandotte	9	9¼
Wolverine	125	130

The close on the curb stocks follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Abenaki	30¼	30½
Bingham Con.	60	60½
Boston Consolidated	17⅝	17¾
Butte & London	2¼	2⅜
Cumberland Ely	7⅞	8
Dominion Copper	3	3⅛
East Butte	9	9¼
Foster Cobalt	26	27
Giroux	3⅝	3¾
Greene Gold	2⅜	2½
Majestic	27	28
McKinley	11	11½
Nevada-Utah	5¾	6
Nipissing	8¾	9
Rex	3	3⅛
Superior & Pittsburg	39¾	39⅞

New York Cotton Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—In spite of the fact that both Liverpool and New Orleans were closed, trading today in cotton was moderately active at the expense of prices. Heavy selling movements on the opening call and the list was down 5 to 13 points after the first few minutes of the trading. The announcement of a receivership for Seaboard Air Line Railway caused some uneasiness among recent bulls and about 30,000 bales of long cotton were dumped overboard in first half hour. Ring traders liquidated and there was some local pressure. The tone of the yearly dry goods review was rather hopeful, but the morning's news continued reports of curtailment by New England and Southern mills. A discouraging feature of the late afternoon was a dispatch stating that the Federal Court had handed down a decision sustaining the Arkansas law, prohibiting trading in cotton futures. New Orleans and Liverpool will be open tomorrow. Both the Journal of Commerce and the New York Commercial issued their annual textile reviews this morning. In general the statement is made that the year just closed was exceptionally prosperous for the first nine months, while the last sixty days have witnessed unusual depression. The tone is generally optimistic, regarding the coming year. The New York Commercial says that bulls are predicting that next week's census report will be very bullish.

Following is the range of prices today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	10.70	10.70	10.46	10.51
March	10.55	10.55	10.31	10.39
May	10.37	10.37	10.12	10.20
July	10.17	10.17	9.95	10.02

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—The market for evaporated apples is dull and unchanged, with fancy quoted at 11@12; choice, 9@; prime, 8¾. Dried fruit at 79@11. Prunes are dreary and hold, with quotations ranging from 2¾ to 10 for California fruit, and from 7 to 7¾ for Oregon 90s to 80s. Apricots are quiet and unchanged, with choice at 20@21; extra choice, 19@20; fancy, 24@25. Peaches show no fresh features, being more or less nominal in the absence of important business. Choice, 10@10½; extra choice at 12¾@13½; fancy, 15@16½; extra fancy, 16@16½. Raisins are without further change; loose muscatels are quoted at 2@7¾; seeded raisins, 7@9¾, and London layers at 1.90@1.95.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—The London tin market was lower with spot quiet at £121 and futures at £122. Locally the market was easy with transactions ranging from 27.90 to 28.00 to 27.60. Copper was the lower in the London market, at £61, 10s. for spot, and £62, 5s. for futures. Locally the market was firm and higher with bids at 12.62½@12.87½; electrolytic at 13.50@13.75 and casting at 13.25@13.50. Lead was higher at £14, 12s. 6d. in the London market. Locally it was firmer and higher and also quotations ranging from 4.30 to 4.35. Spelter was lower, £23, 7s. 6d. in the London market, but ruled firm and higher, at 4.50@4.55 locally. There was no change reported in the local iron market.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; market steady to a shade higher; beeves, 2.60@5.25; cows and heifers, 1.60@4.65; Texans, 3.50@4.60; calves, 5.25@7.50; western, 3.25@4.60; stockers and feeders, 2.35@4.20. Hogs—Receipts about 31,000; market weak to a shade lower; lights, 4.15@4.55; mixed, 4.20@4.60; heavy, 4.20@4.67½; rough, 4.20@4.30; pigs, 3.60@4.25; bulk of sales, 4.45@4.55. Sheep—Receipts about 15,000; market steady; natives, 3.00@5.30; westerns, 3.00@5.25; yearlings, 4.80@5.60; lambs, 4.80@7.00; western, 4.75@7.00.

Chicago Closing Prices.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Close: Wheat—May, 1.07⅛; July, 89⅛; September, 86⅜. Corn—May, 61@61⅛; July, 60⅛; September, 60⅜. Oats—May, old, 44⅞; new, 39@39⅛; July, 34⅛; September, 33⅛. Pork—January, 12.45; May, 13.22½. Lard—January, 7.80; May, 8.05. Ribs—January, 6.80@6.87½; May, 7.27½@7.32½. Rye—Cash, 80@87. Barley—Cash, 52@68. Clover—March, 17.60.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Coffee—Futures closed inactive and unchanged to a decline of 5 points. January, 5.60; March, 5.90; September, 6.15; October, 6.15; December, 6.25; spot, quiet; No. 7, 8½. 6 1-16; No. 4, Santos, 8; mild, dull; Cordova, 9@13.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund shows: Available cash balance, $303,519,991; gold coin and bullion, $93,961,461; gold certificates, $80,385,520.

London Copper Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The market opened strong. Spots were 61 £62, the an advance of 10s. Futures at £61, 7s. 6d., an advance of 12s. 6d. The close was unchanged.

Copper Prices Advance.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—At the Metal Exchange prices of all grades of copper were advanced ¼ of a cent per pound, making Lake, electrolytic, 13½@13¾; and casting, 13¼@13½.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Cotton futures opened easy. January, 10.72; February, 10.77; March, 10.85 bid; April, 10.86; May, 10.95; June, 10.83 bid; July, 10.85; September, offered, 10.39; October, offered, 10.10.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Wheat, spot firm. Options closed 1-8@1 1-4 net higher. May closed at 1.13 1-4; July closed at 1.04 3-4. Hops quiet. Hides quiet. Wool steady. Petroleum steady.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.92½; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.45; molasses sugar, 3.69½; refined, steady; crushed, 5.05; powdered, 4.90; granulated, 4.80.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Butter quiet; western factory, common to firsts, 19@19½. Cheese, steady, unchanged. Eggs steady; western firsts, 27; seconds, 25@26.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 2.—Wool steady; medium grades combing and clothing, 21@22; light fine, 19@20; heavy fine, 16@18; tub washed, 30@32.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA, (Wash.) Jan. 2.—Wheat, unchanged; blue stem, 82; club, 81; red, 80.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2.—Close: Wheat—March, 6s 10d; May, 6s 10d; July, nominal.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, (Or.) Jan. 2.—Wheat, club, 82; blue stem, 84; valley, 82; red, 80.

REAL ESTATE RECORD.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

THURSDAY, January 2, 1908.

E. H Yockey to J V Dempsey, lot 2, block 2, Lincolnian Heights, $10.

Esclemencio Rodriguez to J H Malone, The Alamitos placer mining claim, in sections 25 and 26, township 2 south, range 9 west, $100.

George Humphries to L J Howard, lot 5, Piedmont Heights tract, and appertaining thereto, 1-40 miner's inch of water of Bailey or Minnehaha or Reads Canyon, etc., $10.

Hawthorne Improvement Co. to C W Sterling, lots 66 and 67, second addition to Hawthorne, $10.

E E Hamilton to C W Sinnett, lot 38, Gruber & Hamilton's Verrondale No. 1, $250.

Silvanus White to T L Shaw, lot 6, 8 Whites subdivision of lot 1, block 24, Terminus Homestead tract, $10.

Mary E Purdy to L L McKinley, part section 27, township 2 south, range 11 west, $10.

Philip Goldberg to Mike Pellah, part lot 4, block 1, West Homes tract, $10.

Mercantile Trust Co to Jessie L Potter, lot 36, block 4, in plat No 1, of Seaside Park, $10.

Same to R C Curry, lot 37, block 4, same plat, $10.

Martin Wiley to J F Smith, lot 11, Palm Terrace, $175.

J F Smith to Horace Boos, lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, same tract, $10.

F H Eudrk to H A Estes, lot 30, Monrovia Place, $5.

T E Cleland to H J Stimmings, lot 122, Cleland Home tract, $225.

Martha J Braly and J H Braly to George J Kuhrts, lot 25, Clark & Bryans Westmoreland tract, $10.

Mariam D Starks to Mrs Rose Maguire, lot 68, block F, Starks Palm tract, $10.

E R Guirado to Margarita Dallugge, part lot 4, as shown on map of subdivision of part Rancho Santa Gertrudes, $10.

Title Insurance & Trust Co to Camellia Harrison, lot 7, Fairmount Annandale tract, $10.

F A Odell to C C Ball, lot 61, Wissendanger tract, $10.

Santa Monica Commercial Co to Albert Lewis, lot 12, block B, Vawters Ocean Park tract, $10.

Same to Frank Lewis, lot 32, block H, Vawter Ocean Park tract, $10.

T Gaffey to Mary Holmes, lots 15 and 16, block 10, Centinela tract, $10.

D J Macpherson to Thomas Lormer, lot 3, D J Macphersons subdivision of part lot 4, block 8, San Pasqual tract, $10.

Charles Ballz to Nettie Troxo, lot 4, block A, Beachs subdivision of lots in Griffin addition to East Los Angeles, $10.

Hattie L Field to Salvation Army, part of east end of lot 18, in Mrs Halls tract, subdivision No 2, of East Los Angeles, $10.

City of Pasadena to S F Gockley, part lot 19, block 25, M D Pajeaus subdivision, $35.

Palos Verdes Co to Carl Lewis, lot 2, block G, Metcalf tract, $10.

Robert McAdam to A J McKenzie, lot 28, McAdam tract, $10.

Grace A McNeil to W P Dolcater, lot 4, and part lot 3, T Bunkers subdivision of north 3-10 of lot 4, block N, San Pascual tract, $10.

Title Guarantee & Trust Co to Constantin Gerstner, lot 1, C F Busby tract.

Sarah C Wilson to Mrs Cecil E Houtzybel, lot 12, Greenlawns addition, $10.

W F Temple to Calvary Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, lot 27 and part lot 28, block 1, Lissans Cottage Home tract, $10.

A E Diamant to Nellie Diamant, lot 4, block D, Kingwell & Bourne Edgemont Terrace tract, $1.

Maud D Goldberg to same, lot 5, block D same tract, $1.

Maurice P Phipps to W E Howlett, lot 5, block C, M D Feinsten subdivision of north 53 acres of block Q, Painter & Ball tract, $10.

Huntington Land & Improvement Co to F R Kingwell, lots 18 and 19, block 19, Huntington Park Extension No 1, $10.

Isabella B Christensen to M W Sawyer, lots 1, 2, 3, 15, 16, 17 and 18, block E, Damasco Avenue tract, $10.

Juan Perez to F Perez, commencing at point 8.21 chains east of northwest corner of fractional section 4, township 3 south, range 9 west, the same being point 15.71 of Rancho La Puente, thence east 11.11 chains, thence south 1.83 chains to north line of right of way of Southern Pacific R R, thence in westerly direction along northerly line of right of way of S P RR 2.97 chains, etc., part fractional section 5, township 2 south, range 9 west, $10.

Frederico Perez to Jose Perez, part lot 5, in section 4, township 2 south, range 9 west, part Rancho de Los Nogales; also beginning at stake in east line of lot 14, Swan subdivision, and 12 feet south of center line of Sta Fe Grant, thence northerly along easterly boundaries of said lot 14, Swan subdivision, 250 feet, etc., $10.

E T Palmer to H C Dewey, part section 32, township 1 south, range 13 west, $10.

Mary E Smith to Fannie S Shumard, part lots 3 and 4, block 62, Alamitos Beach Townsite, $10.

Louise R Shaw to W R Roberts, lot 11, addition to Saratoga tract, $10.

Anna M Townsend to F P Daymon, lots 25 to 34, block 5; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 21 and 22, block 11, Monrovia tract, $10.

H O Kendall Co to Antoinette H Shelton, lots 72 and 73, University tract, $10.

Edward Klenly to Catherine Klenly, lots 18 and 19, McQuilling's replat.

Charles Monteleon to Emma L McCormick, part lot 7, F P Bryant's subdivision of south ½ of lot 5, block C, L V L & W Asso, $10.

W W Stover to Stella Ingham, lot 14, block L, Le Mar subdivision of block 184, Pomona, $10.

G F Griffith to A E Jackson, lot 4, block 12, Pasadena Villa tract, $10.

E H Hampton to W A Gleason, part farm lot 20, Alamitos tract, $10.

Los Angeles Securities Company to G B Thompson, lot 32, block 24, Redondo Villa tract, $5.

R W Patterson to Ella J Patterson, lot 15, block A, R W Patterson's Summit View tract, $100.

Pacific Music Company to Salyer-Baumeister Company, lot 13, block 1, La Paloma tract, $10.

Park Land Company to Agnes M Johnson, lot 3, block 34, Huntington Park, $10.

Hawthorne Improvement Company to N O Lansing, lots 2 and 3, block J, Hawthorne, $100.

Mrs Mary H Banning to City of Wilmington, part lot 4, of 111-acre Range, Wilmington, $10.

Merchants' Trust Company to Philip Smith, lot 29, Walker's Main Street and Menota Avenue tract, No 2, $10.

Hawthorne Improvement Company to T J Lofford, lot 34, block F, Hawthorne, $175.

Mary J Crawford to Elizabeth Lolly, lot 12, block 4, South Santa Monica, $10.

Mrs Emma Stever to H H Watkins, part lots 3 and 4, block 19, Highland Park tract; part said lot 3, $10.

Emma Stever to H H Watkins, lot 2, block 31, Garvanza, $10.

T J Lee to J L Martin, lot 1, Grandest View tract, $10.

F P Holsinger to H L Miner, lots 1 and 2, Holsinger tract, $10.

J W Mears to S H Sterrett, part lot 3, block W, West Los Angeles, $10.

Mattie L Milhouse to G R Kittea, lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, Milhouse Vermont Avenue tract, $125.

J A Tucker to Milton Kaufman, lot 39, Brockway tract, $10.

Patrick McDonnell to Jessie F Wilkie, lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, block 20, Redondo Villa tract, $.

Huntington Land and Improvement Company to Matie I Morrison, lot 5, block 17, Huntington Park Extension No 1, $10.

Laurel Canyon Land Company to G D Sisson, lots 42 and 43, Bungalow Land, $10.

F R Strong to E E Cole, lot 14, block C, Strong & Dickinson's San Luis Railroad tract, $10.

E E Cole to Columbia Trust Company, lot 14, block C, Strong & Dickinson's San Luis Railroad tract, $10.

Jacob Jepsen to N J Whitley Company, lots 32 and 33, Kuhrts subdivision, $10.

F H Bradford to Jennie A Lambdin, lot 21 and part lot 20, block B, Bellevue Place, $10.

S P Rush to G A Thomson, lot 39, block 4, Peck's Grand View tract, $10.

Clearinghouse Banks

NAME.	OFFICERS.	
FIRST NATIONAL BANK S. E. Cor. Second and Spring.	J. M. Elliott, Pres. W. T. S. Hammond, Cashier.	Capital ... $1,000,000 Surplus and profits .. $1,450,000
MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK N. E. Cor. Second and Main.	W. H. Holliday, Pres. Marco H. Hellman, Cashier.	Capital ... $300,000 Surplus and profits .. $172,000
AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK S. W. Cor. Second and Broadway.	W. F. Botsford, Pres. Wm. W. Woods, Cashier.	Capital ... $1,000,000 Surplus and profits .. $171,000
NATIONAL BANK OF CALIFORNIA N. E. Cor. Fourth and Spring.	J. E. Fishburn, Pres. R. J. Rogers, Cashier.	Capital ... $500,000 Surplus and profits .. $130,000
CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK Fourth and Broadway.	George Mason, Pres. J. B. Gist, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000 Surplus and profits .. $200,000
CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK S. W. Cor. Third and Main.	R. J. Waters, Pres. A. J. Waters, Cashier.	Capital ... $300,000 Surplus and profits .. $212,000
BROADWAY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY 203-10 S. Bdwy., Bradbury Bldg.	Warren Gillelen, President. R. W. Kenny, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000 Surplus and profits .. $101,000
COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK 423 South Spring St.	W. A. Bonynge, Pres. C. N. Flint, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000 Surplus and profits ... $48,000
THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK Cor. Main and Commercial Sts.	Isaias W. Hellman, President. P. W. Smith, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000 Surplus and profits ... $80,000
THE NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE N. E. Cor. Sixth and Spring Sts.	F. M. Douglas, Pres. Chas. Ewing, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000 Surplus and profits ... $35,000
FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK Cor. Fourth and Main.	I. W. Hellman, Pres. Chas. Seyler, Cashier.	Capital ... $1,500,000 Surplus and profits .. $1,700,000

Savings Banks.

SAVINGS BANKS

4% INTEREST PAID ON TERM SAVINGS DEPOSITS
3% INTEREST PAID ON "ORDINARY" SAVINGS DEPOSITS
AND 3% ON SPECIAL ORDINARY ACCOUNTS

German-American Savings Bank — CAPITAL AND SURPLUS $900,000.00
233 South Spring Street, Corner Main and First Sts. (Branch) — ASSETS $10,000,000.00

Security Savings Bank — CAPITAL AND SURPLUS $1,250,000.00
Security Building, Spring and Fifth Streets. — ASSETS $22,000,000.00

Savings Deposits in Savings Banks are Exempt from Taxation in the Depositor

EQUITABLE SAVINGS BANK
FIRST AND SPRING STREETS
4 per cent paid on "Term" accounts
3 per cent paid on "Ordinary" accounts.
By special arrangement checks may be given against "Ordinary" accounts without presentation of pass books. On these special accounts interest is computed monthly on lowest balance on deposit during the month, except that no interest is paid for any month where the amount falls below $300.
No commercial business transacted.

4% CONSOLIDATED BANK

AMERICAN SAVINGS BANK
N. E. COR THIRD AND SPRING.
Capital and Surplus $275,000. 4 Per cent. Paid on Term Deposits.

Trust Companies.

The regular dividend of 4 per cent. on Term and 3 per cent. on Ordinary Savings accounts has been declared
by
The Southern Trust Company
Payable to the depositors on and after January 2, 1908.
DEPOSITS in Savings Department ARE EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.
We act as Guardian of minors, Trustees of estates, Administrator or Executor—or in any Trust capacity.
The Southern Trust Company

LOS ANGELES TRUST CO.
Broadway and Spring Sts.
Capital $1,000,000.00 Surplus $200,000.00
TWO PER CENT. INTEREST PAID ON CHECKING ACCOUNTS.
This company acts in all trust capacities.

TITLE INSURANCE & TRUST CO.
Corner Franklin and New High Streets.
Issues Policies of Title Insurance. Issues Certificates of Title.
Acts in All Trust Capacities. TEL. EXCHANGE 18.

MERCHANTS TRUST COMPANY
207-209-211 South Broadway. Paid Up Capital, $500,000.00.
2 Per Cent. on the Daily Balances of Checking Accounts.

Mr. Thos. Cassou, No. 427 So. Olive St., is the PROUD possessor of this beautiful Arabian saddled horse "Bedouin" with Mexican saddle and bridle. His register number is

5900

Mr. Cassou did not tell the man where HE wanted the horse SENT, but triumphantly RODE HIM AWAY immediately after he was notified of his good fortune by telephone to his office in the Bradbury Building.

DESMOND'S
Cor. Third and Spring Streets

WANTED
$1,000 to $20,000 on Union O

THE CITY IN BRIEF

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Rabbi's Lectures.

Rabbi Isidore Myers announces a series of popular lectures before the Sinai Congregation, during January. He will begin this evening with: "Americanism and Judaism."

Dies in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Fred Siddal of No. 1721 East Thirty-first street received a telegram yesterday announcing the sudden death of her mother in Cincinnati. Mrs. Siddal had been informed that her mother was ill, but did not know that her illness was of a serious nature.

Illustrated Lecture.

Rev. A. C. Wright will deliver a stereopticon lecture at the Young Men's Christian Association tonight, the lecture and pictures being the result of his travels in Japan. The entertainment is entirely free to the public.

Widow's New Year's Lift.

Mrs. L. A. Minkler, No. 235 Avenue 18, yesterday received at the hands of The Times, $5 more, to aid in her unequal struggle to sustain her five fatherless children. This last donation was sent as a New Year's gift, by one who appreciates the needs of such a family.

Bankrupt Jeweler.

E. D. Grandmason, a jeweler of Ocean Park, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday in the United States District Court. Assets are stated to be $12,480, and liabilities, $10,480. Inability to realize on a heavy stock of goods is given as the principal reason for the insolvency of the petitioner.

An Unlucky Number.

William Turner, colored, chauffeur for Dr. C. Edgar Smith, was arrested last night, charged with running an automobile with an improper number. The car which he was driving bore the figures 5774. This was the number of the car which ran down and seriously injured H. A. Hunt on New Year's Day. Turner was released on $25 bail supplied by his employer.

Heavy Mails.

The number of pieces of mail reaching this city during the past month, either misdirected or lacking sufficient address, was 407,901. Correct addresses were found for 48,859 pieces directed to points outside the city, and 141,754 pieces were delivered by carrier within the city limits. The daily average of letters handled at the main postoffice and at Station C for outward dispatch was 129,549.

In Law's Meshes.

C. Erval is charged with having passed two fictitious checks, one for $35 and one for $40, on Isaac Silverstein, a pawnbroker, whose place of business is located at No. 225 North Main street. Erval entered the store and made several small purchases, tendering the checks in payment. It is charged that there were no funds to cover them and he was arrested.

Would Choke Sewer.

At the meeting of the University Improvement Association held last night, resolutions were adopted approving of the report of "City Beautiful" Robinson, and condemning "the attempt to divert $43,000 from the general funds of the city" to build sewers on Boyle Heights, and commending Councilman Wallace for his efforts to have the act of his associates set aside.

Federal Jurors Paid.

Nearly $1500 was paid out in government checks yesterday at the office of the United States Marshal, to term trial jurors and members of the Federal grand jury, it being the end of the quarter. The members of the term trial jury were discharged by Judge Wellborn, in the District Court, and no criminal cases will be heard before a jury until after the middle of this month.

Good Speeches Too.

Dr. Robert J. Burdette and George H. Stewart have been secured as after-dinner speakers at the annual meeting and banquet of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, January 28. Several soloists will sing during the courses, and other forms of entertainment will be provided. Secretary Zeehandelaar states that, judging from applications already received for tickets, more than 350 members will be at the tables. Tickets cost $1.50, and can be obtained at the association rooms up to noon of January 20.

Catholic Women Organize.

At the institution of a branch of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association last night in the Woman's Club House, the following officers were installed: President, Mrs. E. M. Smith; Vice-Presidents, Miss Nina Clark and Miss Harriet Hynes; Treasurer, Mrs. Sadie Whalen; Financial Secretary, Miss Frances Molony; Recording Secretary, Miss Katherine Creed; Marshal, Miss Florence Smith; Inside Guard, Miss Marie Whalen; Trustees, Mrs. Margaret Lee, Mrs. M. T. Colling, Miss Margaret Molony, Miss Mary McCormick and Miss Antonette Hagen. Bishop Conaty and other members of the priesthood were guests at the ceremonies.

Stolen Ride Proves Fatal.

Angelo Gallego, 21 years of age, a shoemaker, whose home was at Santa Cruz, died yesterday in the Receiving Hospital as the result of injuries received on New Year's Day at Tropico. Gallego was found lying on the railroad tracks with his left leg mangled at the knee. It is thought that he was stealing a ride on an early passenger train and fell between the cars. For several hours he remained on the tracks until a later train arrived. The crew put him on board, and brought him to Los Angeles. At the Receiving Hospital everything possible was done to save him, but all stimulants failed and Gallego died shortly after daylight yesterday morning. An inquest will be held today.

Chamber of Commerce Nominations.

At the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon George H. Stewart was nominated for president, to succeed William D. Stephens. The election will be held the 8th inst. The other nominations are Willis H. Booth, first vice-president; James Slauson, second vice-president; W. C. Mendenhall, treasurer. For chairmen of the various committees: William D. Stephens, Commerce; F. Q. Story, Agriculture and Horticulture; W. J. Washburn, Manufacturing; Louis M. Cole, Jr., Mercantile Affairs; H. Z. Osborne, Mining; Charles Weir, Transportation; H. T. Lee, Law; H. R. Callendar, Publication and Statistics; Joseph Scott, County and Municipal Affairs; Walter Raymond, Hotels; Charles G. Greene, Finance and Auditing; J. O. Koepfli, Building; J. V. Vickers, Immigration; S. A. Butler, Parks and Roads; James A. Foshay, Exposition; Marshall Stimson, Membership.

Is Poker Insanity?

Federal officials ridicule the attempt of an afternoon paper to make it appear that Charles E. Lovelace, the Ocean Park postmaster, who is charged with embezzlement of government funds, is insane. They declare that Lovelace is a singularly cool young man, who frankly admits the shortage in his accounts. He has not shown the slightest trace of an unbalanced mind, unless his willingness to play poker were considered a sign. The former postmaster will shortly be indicted, and, according to his own admissions, will doubtless be found guilty. His own attorney admits that a light sentence is about the only hope of the defense.

The Eternal Question.

Last month's weather was of the usual sunny California December type. The lowest temperature recorded, according to Forecaster Wollaber, was 41 deg., December 29, and on several days over 80 deg., warmed the people up, the highest being 85 on December 2. The mean was 58, which was just 2 deg. above that for the corresponding month of 1906. While the total precipitation for the month, .58 of an inch, was considerably below the 5.12 of December, 1906, it was better than 1905 showed, for that year's figures are .22. The prevailing direction of the wind was northeast and the average hourly velocity was 4.6 miles, with a maximum velocity for five minutes on December 11, of 21 miles per hour, when it came from the northwest. There were ten clear days, eleven which were partly cloudy, ten which were cloudy and on eight .01 of an inch, or more, of precipitation occurred.

SALE IS DELAYED.

"Orange Grove" Swindle Victims Succeed in Preventing Immediate Foreclosure.

An injunction granted yesterday by Judge James in the Superior Court stops the scheduled foreclosure sale of the land of the California Fruit Growers' Association, until the merits of the case can be judicially determined. This order may save from absolute ruin hundreds of contract holders in the late Ollie J. Watkins' land swindle.

Since the death of the general manager of the association, the innocent purchasers of "orange groves" at Rialto have taken heart. They are confident that, with wise management, all will receive large dividends from the wrecked concern and possibly be able to hold their little ranches at Rialto.

An affidavit was filed by the plaintiff in the case of Henry G. Dent et al. against the California Fruit Growers' Association et al., in support of the application for an injunction. The demurrer of the Fontana Development Company and of the Merchants' Trust Company, trustee, has been overruled as to the amended complaint of the plaintiff.

The foreclosure was to have taken place at San Bernardino tomorrow. The order of Judge James stops the sale and requires the defendants to appear before him January 10, to show cause why they should not be restrained from disposing of certain property, described in the amended complaint. The plaintiffs aver that they will be able to show ample cause why the injunction should be made permanent and the sale prevented.

In the affidavit of Dent, he states that a sale now would cause "the stockholders and creditors of the California Fruit Growers' Association great and irreparable wrong and damage.

"That the Fontana Development Company is now causing and demanding such sale to be made in connivance with, and in aid of the fraudulent purposes and designs of O. J. Watkins and his confederates to deprive the California Fruit Growers' Association of all said property.

"That the 1800 acres proposed to be auctioned off are valued at $40,000, and a postponement of the sale will not cause serious hardship or inconvenience to the defendant, the Fontana Development Company."

The suit really is directed against the concern just named and not against the Merchants' Trust Company, which, as trustee, has to carry out the instructions of the mortgagor, the Fontana Development Company.

TO SOLVE DEATH MYSTERY.

Authorities Declare Mitchell Killed Himself After Quarrel With His Beautiful Wife.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The authorities are trying to fathom the mystery in the death of Archibald Paul Mitchell, who married beautiful Augusta Hearne, daughter of M. H. Hearne, a millionaire and recently candidate for Governor of West Virginia.

The police declared that young Mitchell killed himself while despondent, following a bitter quarrel with his beautiful wife.

Mitchell, who was 27 years old, was found dead New Year's day in his rich apartments at the Vernon, No. 353 West Seventy-first street, with four gas jets open in the room. It is said he was a chum of Wilson Mizner. His wife was a close friend of Dorothy Russell, daughter of Lillian Russell.

The widow became hysterical, fighting with the policemen and Coroner, who tried to take her out of the presence of the dead. She was finally taken to the Hotel St. Charles and placed under the care of a physician.

The Cuban customs receipts for the year 1907 were the largest in the history of the island. They amounted to $30,005,043, as against $13,511,296 in 1906.

BREVITIES.

Sunday Real Estate Liners. Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 10:00 o'clock Saturday night. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion taken over the counter until 11:00 p. m. The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 5000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time.

The big "General Reduction Sale" begins at the Harris & Frank Store today. Sweeping price concessions have been made in every department. Men's suits, overcoats, hats, furnishings and shoes; boys' attire of all kinds, and girls' coats—all have been reduced. For details, see the Harris & Frank advertisement, page 13, part I. Remember the location of the store, 437-441 S. Spring st., west side, between 4th and 5th sts.

J. W. Frey has moved his stock of mantels, grates, tiles and andirons to his warerooms, corner Los Angeles and Twelfth streets, where can be seen the largest assortment of black and brass fireplace trimmings to be found in the United States.

One best way to economize during 1908 is to wear Cummings shoes. 4th and Broadway is the place.

Winter term Cumnock School of Expression opens Monday, January 6. 1500 S. Figueroa street.

La Marque corsets, 414½ S. B'way.

Furs. D. Bonoff, furrier, 234 S. B'way.

Geneva Watch Values Are Unequaled

Women's 20 Year Gold Filled Watch Elgin or Waltham $12.00

Go where you will, you can't beat Geneva watch values. Here's an elegant little 0 size watch; 20-year gold filled hunting case; with Elgin or Waltham movement, for $12.00. It's the best watch at the price ever sold in Los Angeles.

Geneva Watch and Optical Company
305 So. Broadway

Port and Sherry
PURE FOOD LABEL Wines
Delicious and appetizing; made in our own wineries, and perfectly pure—best California vintage.
75c and up, per gallon
Southern California Wine Co.
Phones Ex. Ex. 10; Main 332
518 South Main Street
744 So. Spring Street

"SIEGEL'S—Women's—Children's Wear"
Myer Siegel & Co.
251-255 SOUTH BROADWAY
Winter Coats
For Misses and Girls at One-Third Off
New assortments have been added and the selections are the best yet; included are new, interplaid worsteds, English serges and broadcloths.
Misses' Trimmed Hats
AT HALF AND LESS THAN HALF
Some exquisite French felt satin ribbon and quill trimmed hats, for girls and misses,
formerly $7.50 to $20.00, now $3.00 to $7.50.
Misses' Suits $13.50
Tailored suits that were $25.00 and $27.50, also two-piece dresses and serge regulation suits in Misses' and small women's sizes.
"SIEGEL'S—Women's—Children's Wear"

VITAL RECORD

BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Births.

ZAHN. To the wife of Oswald F. Zahn, January 2, a son.

Deaths.

GIVERNAUD. At his residence, No. 209 West Washington street, January 3, 1908, Louis Givernaud, beloved father of Charles L. Givernaud, in his seventy-third year. Funeral services at the Church of Saint Thomas the Apostle, Pico street and Normandie avenue, where solemn requiem mass will be sung at 10 o'clock a.m., Saturday, January 4, 1908.

COURSEN. Thomas Jefferson, in Warner, N. H., January 1, father of Charles Henry and Mrs. William Douglass Murray of this city.

M'CLURE. At 1907 Alessandro street, January 2, Samuel McClure, in his ninety-first year. Funeral services at Pierce Bros.' chapel, 816 South Flower street, January 4, 1 p.m.

SCHLIEBITZ. In this city, Albert H. Schliebitz, beloved husband of Agusta Schliebitz, father of A. Theodore and Louise Davis, son of Louise Schliebitz and brother of Flora Schliebitz, this city, and Mrs. L. M. Paepke of Indianapolis, Ind. Funeral from chapel of Robert Sharp & Son, 329 South Main, 2 p.m., Sunday, January 5, 1908. Cremation at Los Angeles Crematory, Sixteenth and Grover streets.

HARRINGTON. Thursday morning, Jan. 2, 1908, at the home of his niece, Mrs. Augustine Gaylord, 707 Huntington Terrace, Pasadena, James Harrington, aged 89 years. Funeral 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning at parlors of Adams, Turner & Stevens Co., 95 N. Raymond ave., Pasadena.

METCALF. Died at his late home, 317 S. Soto st., at 1 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 2, George S. Metcalf, age 53 years, 11 months and 10 days. Funeral Saturday morning, 10 a.m. at Boyle Heights Undertaking Parlors, 1329 E. First st.

FRAZEL. In this city, Jan. 2, 1908, Edward Frazel, formerly of Mason, Mich., beloved husband of Gussie Frazel and father of Edda, Charles Frazel and Mrs. Homer Kennedy. Funeral notice later.

KELLOGG. Died, Altadena, Jan. 2, Mrs. Frances Penfield Kellogg, wife of Theron H. Kellogg. Funeral services from residence of her daughter, Mary F. Kellogg, Fair Oaks ave., Altadena, Saturday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family invited.

TRAVIS. Funeral of Mrs. Jennie Dean Travis will be held Friday (today) at the residence, 1030 S. Figueroa, at 2 p.m. Rev. Dr. McIntyre officiating. Interment Inglewood Park Cemetery, by car.

SCHULZE. At her residence, 5130 Marmion Way, Jan. 1, 1908, Mrs. Caroline Schulze, aged 69 years. Funeral from the parlors of Overholtzer-Mills Co., Pico and Grand ave., Friday, Jan. 3, 2 p.m. Interment Rosedale.

Marriages.

STAFFORD-M'KEE. Edward S. Stafford, aged 24, a native of New Mexico and a resident of Florence, and Bernice McKee, aged 22, a native of Maryland and a resident of Long Beach.

HOLMAN-M'KINLEY. Oscar B. Holman, aged 35, a native of Indiana, and Elizabeth M. McKinley, aged 29, a native of Ireland. Both residents of Los Angeles.

CHAFFEE-PETERSON. Norman P. Chaffee, aged 27, a native of Connecticut, and Caroline H. Peterson, aged 18, a native of Denmark. Both residents of Los Angeles.

PERCY-BOOTH. William Percy, aged 32, a native of England, and Lutina R. Booth, aged 24, a native of Wisconsin. Both residents of Long Beach.

WHEELER-DANDROW. Joseph A. Wheeler, aged 46, a native of Massachusetts and a resident of Los Angeles, and Bertha Dandrow, aged 32, a native of New York, and a resident of San Diego.

LOWENSTEIN-LEITNER. Fay Lowenstein, aged 22, a native of Germany, and Winnie Leitner, aged 21, a native of California. Both residents of Los Angeles.

VAN HOUSEN-MAGNERSON. Le Roy Van Housen, aged 25, a native of Illinois, and Esther Magnerson, aged 21, a native of Minnesota. Both residents of Los Angeles.

WHITESELL-GUEVARA. Fred L. Whitesell, aged 21, a native of Nebraska and a resident of Los Angeles, and Minnie Guevara, aged 19, a native of California and a resident of Santa Barbara.

BROWNING-ALTRINGER. Fred R. Browning, aged 34, a native of England and a resident of Fresno, and Gertrude Altringer, aged 31, a native of Missouri, and a resident of Lincoln.

RAPPAPART-SOLOMON. Jacob Rappaport, aged 37, a native of Roumania, and Dora Solomon, aged 28, a native of Russia. Both residents of Los Angeles.

ELLIOTT-SOFER. Theodore L. Elliott, aged 31, a native of Kansas, and Florence R. Sofer, aged 17, a native of Rhode Island. Both residents of Ocean Park.

MOORE-FANCHER. Erastus G. Moore, aged 28, a native of Tennessee, and Maybelle Fancher, aged 24, a native of Illinois. Both residents of Los Angeles.

WYERS-YOUNG. Earl F. Wyers, aged 28, a native of California and a resident of Los Angeles, and Lena K. Young, aged 24, a native of California and a resident of Pasadena.

BERGIEN-BUCHOLTZ. Joseph Bergien, aged 30, a native of Wisconsin, and Rosa Bucholtz, aged 28, a native of Wisconsin. Both residents of Sierra Madre.

HEASTER-CRAWFORD. Lewis E. Heaster, aged 27, a native of West Virginia and a resident of Meadow Bluff, W. Va., and Lucy Crawford, aged 27, a native of Idaho and a resident of Boise, Idaho.

Divorce.

SUITS. Henry H. MacCully against Jennie A. MacCully; Minnie M. D. Bowers against Irwin Bowers; Charlotte F. Hamrich against D. W. Hamrich; Harry A. Morrow against Mary F. Morrow; Laura Sims against Charles H. Sims; Max Goldfinger against Rose Goldfinger; Mary L. Magoon against Marcus Magoon.

DECREES. Rose R. Moriarity against Edward J. Moriarity; Maria L. Payne against Henry C. Payne.

Funeral Notice.

All members of Los Angeles Association, No. 10, A. S. E., and Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 1, are requested to attend the funeral of Sister Nellie Rademacher, Friday, January 3, at 2 p.m., from her late residence, No. 814 Vernon avenue, end of Griffith-avenue car line. Conveyance will be provided to Inglewood Cemetery.

WILL F. STEVENS, President.
W. T. W. CURL, Secretary.

A. N. Davidson, Real Estate.
Removed 305 security Bldg. M. 729, H. 922.

If You Want to Go East C. Haydock, Agent Illinois Central R.R., 113 West Sixth.

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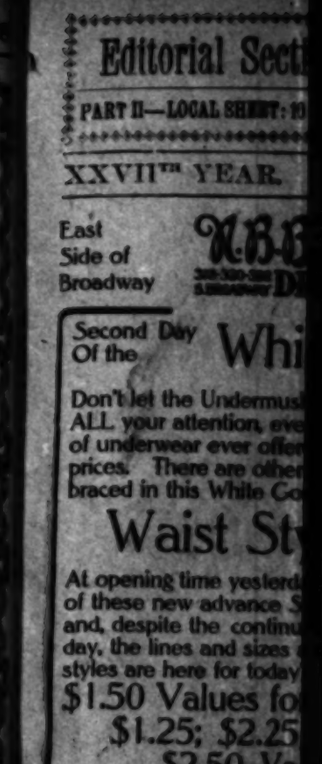

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PARADOXICAL.

SALOON MEN SEEK LIQUOR RESTRAINT.

Strangest Temperance Campaign Waged in Anaheim, the Churches Apparently Opposing It, but for Good Reason—"Booze" Scared.

AN ECCENTRIC temperance campaign, waged entirely by saloonkeepers, has begun in Anaheim. All the liquor interests there have combined in a petition asking the city to restrict the freedom with which "booze" is at present sold.

For this once, the church and W. C.T.U. seem to be lined up against the apparent enemies of the Demon Rum. They will not join in the effort to have restrictions put on Sunday liquor selling.

Although it may seem to be so, the liquor interests have not really climbed on the "water wagon," nor has Orange county turned upside down, nor begun to see things crookedly.

Another reason is assigned for the astonishing petition the saloon men have addressed to the City Trustees of Anaheim.

It is asserted that they are trying to take the wind out of a more serious anti-liquor campaign threatened by the church people.

Anaheim for a long time has been the only oasis for the thirsty in Orange county. Every other town of any size is for temperance—or rather prohibition. The consequence is that both the temperance people and the saloon men look upon it as the last ditch. Will fight bitterly for it.

The city was started years ago by staid respectable Germans, who drank their beer as a matter of course, in a staid, respectable manner. They and their children are not disposed to give it up now.

FULL OF 'EM.

Of the people who have come to Anaheim in latter years, some are for strict "closed" and some for an "open town."

Some time ago a Sunday baseball team was started and crowds of men, not always the best men, were drawn in from all over the surrounding country; they poured in from all the other temperance towns—pilgrims of thirst.

The result is that Anaheim has seven saloons, four wineries, a wholesale liquor house and a brewery.

Two or three times the church people in the town have fought politically to force the saloons to close on Sundays. Each time they have lost the fight.

At the present time they are beginning the campaign again. Nearly all the churches have joined forces to fight for a closed Sunday.

Imagine their astonishment, one day this week to hear that the liquor men of the town had filed with the Board of Trustees a strong petition asking to have all the saloons closed for half a day on Sunday; they made their request so sweeping as to include poolrooms, billiard halls, wineries and cigar stands.

This amazing petition was signed by the most prominent liquor men in the city.

The bewildered Trustees, not knowing what to do, referred it to a committee and retired to meditate.

OPINION DIVIDED.

Opinion is about equally divided in the town as to what will be done with a temperance petition presented exclusively by liquor interests.

The various church people and temperance fighters have made no answer to the petition; it puts them in a curious position. The ones who have been heard from are the poolroom men. Some of them have made strenuous protest against the "long hair" tactics of their liquor confreres.

They object to closing for any part of a day on Sunday. O. S. Davis has come to the front as a spokesman for these places. He has let out a roar of objection, saying that the church people are not after the poolrooms, and the saloon men are trying to drag them into the fracas.

This is probably the first time that an aggregation of saloons ever tried to crowd temperance and reformatory doctrines down the throats of poolrooms.

N. Hart, one of the most prominent and respected of the pioneer saloon men of the city, has also raised objection. He says that if the saloons are to be closed part of the day, he would rather shut them up for the whole of Sunday. He evidently disapproves of the present political move as being a trick, although he is one of the signers of the petition.

F. Conrad, another of the prominent saloon men, states with engaging candor "that it is merely a scheme to take the wind out of the sails of the temperance party."

The church party, it seems, is arranging to have the Sunday closing question put on the ballots once more at the next election, and believes that the sentiments of the community has changed so much that it can win next time.

Conrad states that, by getting this ordinance, petitioned for, the saloon interests will head off the Sunday closing by the voluntary closing for half a day.

Abraham B. Markle, pastor of the Christian Church of Anaheim, is one of the leaders of the fight for temperance.

"All the rest of Orange county is white," he said yesterday, "except this two square miles that make up the territory of Anaheim. It's a very hard fight. At the same time I think we are gaining much ground. The saloon men, by this apparent temperance petition, are merely trying to spike our guns at the next election. It won't make any difference. We intend to have that question put before the people again, anyhow."

Although great pressure will be brought upon the City Trustees to pass this ordinance, restricting their own privileges, one of the foremost saloon men of Anaheim conceded yesterday that they are very unlikely to win; so they will lose the fight, he thinks, to close their own saloons.

"If they want to close their own saloons so badly every Sunday morning," said Rev. Mr. Markle, "why don't they close them. It doesn't require an ordinance for a man to be able to close his own saloon if he wishes."

The consensus of opinion, therefore, is that the saloons will lose their temperance fight. It isn't enough in their line.

Temperance Campaign Waged by Liquor Men.
At the top N. Hart and F. Conrad, two of the leading saloonists of Anaheim; Rev. Abraham B. Markle, the leader of the church people, who mean to close saloons on Sunday.

MANY HEAR GOSPEL.

Great Success Attends Opening of Business Men's Evangelistic Campaign All Over City.

The business men's religious campaign, under the auspices of the Church Federation, started off in good shape yesterday. All the projected street meetings at noon did not get under way, but there will probably be the full dozen today. Among those who spoke yesterday were Rev. E. P. Ryland, Rev. William H. Day, Rev. T. C. Horton, John Willis Baer and W. H. Frost. Large crowds heard each of the speakers and gave the closest and most respectful attention.

The meeting at Monarch Rink at 1 o'clock, under the leadership of Rev. R. A. Hadden, and the women's meeting at 2 o'clock, were well attended. Last night a general meeting was led by Rev. T. C. Horton.

The same programme will be carried out every day during the month of January, with the addition of more meetings as fast as workers can be secured to handle them. Mr. Horton and other members of the committee last night expressed the greatest pleasure at the success that had attended the first day's meetings.

SOME CREAMS NOT CREAMS.

Pure Food Law, Which Took Effect Yesterday, Is Positive.

Yesterday the Cartwright law went into effect and now everything has to be called by its right name. When a toper asks for whisky nowadays he is liable to get something he is not familiar with, and when a pretty girl tries to buy chocolate creams it may surprise her to learn that there is no such thing in a confectionery store.

Just what "chocolate creams" will be called is yet undecided by the trade, but the law demands that the truth be told in such matters; and as there is no real cream in this brand of candy the confectioners are puzzled as to what cognomen will be given the seductive cream chocolate without cream.

Meanwhile Senator McCartney is preparing to start a crusade which will result in a buyer knowing that when he purchases a pound of candy for his best girl he is getting real sugar.

SINISTER.

NOW WHY THIS GUNCOTTON?

CARLOAD AFTER CARLOAD EN ROUTE TO JAPAN.

Shipments Have Been Going Through on the Coast Line for Months and Point to Preparations in the Land of the Chrysanthemum for "Something Doing."

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 2.—Significant carloads, ten to fifteen each day, of a peculiar variety of cotton, believed to be that used in the manufacture of guncotton, one of the most deadly of modern explosives, have been noticed going through this city on the coast line from the Southern States for months past. They are consigned to Japan, whither they are shipped from San Francisco. Railroad men of conservatism, who have noted the passing of this cotton, have stated that this has been the most significant finger that points to a possibility of something doing in Japan of a sinister nature.

Nitric acid treatment of this cotton transforms it into guncotton and the Japanese have received vast quantities in the past few months.

Not alone this, but from every part of the Atlantic Coast States are coming great quantities of merchandise, via steamer from New York to New Orleans and then over the Sunset Route to San Francisco, whence they are shipped to the isles of the rising sun. Railroad men look upon these shipments as portending trouble of some sort, but whether it is with the United States only the future will determine.

JUMPS HIS BAIL.

L. J. Jordan, alias "Oliver," arrested here Saturday night, on a charge of flim-flamming a local shoe store out of $20, was last night released on bail in the amount of $200. A friend, giving his name as E. Daily of Los Angeles, arrived here last night and put up the amount. After the bail had been fixed, Monday, Jordan said he would wire "Poker" Davis for the sum. Jordan's hearing was set for 2 o'clock this afternoon but he failed to show up. It is believed by the local police that he has jumped his bail and gone to Los Angeles.

AN IMPORTANT CAPTURE.

After Spirited Chase, Clever Thief Is Arrested and Valuable Booty Recovered.

A nervy room-worker, who gave his name as Frank Kelsey and claims to have come here recently from San Francisco, was arrested on South Hill street late last night after an exciting chase. The man had been working his nefarious craft in the Stanford rooming-house, at No. 360 South Hill street.

A woman who resides in the house discovered Kelsey and at once communicated with the police. A patrol wagon was sent in response to the call and the officers surprised the intruder at his work. When he saw that he had been discovered, Kelsey made a break for freedom and dashed down the stairs. An officer gave chase and the patrol wagon driver joined in.

For three blocks the chase was kept up, policeman and fugitive dashing in among street cars, while the patrol wagon driver vainly tried to head off the man. Finally he was cornered and captured.

When searched at the Police Station, Kelsey was found to have three gold watches and $15 in his possession. He admitted that he had stolen the watches in the crowd at Pasadena New Year's day. The police believe the man is an old offender.

TRIO UNDER ARREST.

Alleged East Fourth Street Elopement Ends in Lover, Mother and Sweetheart Being Jailed.

Harry Hawkins, Lelia Swan and Mrs. M. Hawkins, were arrested at No. 221½ East Fourth street last night. Hawkins is charged with disturbing the peace, his mother with a misdemeanor in not requiring guests in her lodging house to register, and the Swan girl, who is but 16 years old, is held on suspicion.

It is alleged that some days ago Hawkins, who had been boarding with Mrs. Mary Welch of No. 236 Winston street, the mother of the Swan girl, seized some money from Mrs. Welch as she was making change for him. To make matters worse, he is said to have induced the daughter of his erstwhile landlady to elope with him.

When the police went to the East Fourth-street house to place Hawkins under arrest the women raised such a disturbance that they also were taken to the Police Station.

SOLID.

ON FIRM FOUNDATION REST BANKS OF CITY.

Stunning Figures Tell of Year's Wondrous Prosperity and of Faith of the People in Great Financial Institutions.

LOS ANGELES as a financial Gibraltar is pictured graphically in the condition of the forty-six banks doing business here at the beginning of the new year. Two small institutions suspended during the year just closed. Their suspension caused no ripple on the surface. The combined capital of the forty-six banks is $12,768,050.50. Deposits total $83,117,380.59; loans, $68,402,548.34; combined surplus and profit holdings, $6,643,283.43. The total of bank dividends to stockholders for the year was $1,284,567, of which $461,783 is due now in quarterly or semi-annual payments. Depositors in savings banks and trust companies have received during the year or are credited with $1,419,304 as interest on the funds held in their names. It is a proud position that the banks hold. Throughout the tight conditions that have prevailed there never has been a feeling of unrest among their heads; clients have been equally confident in the integrity of those to whom they have intrusted their funds.

There are ten national banks in the city, with a combined capital of $5,650,000. Deposits at the end of the year amounted to $36,022,894.60. Their surplus holdings amounted to $4,490,648.17. The year's dividends to stockholders reach a total of $901,000, of which $267,360 is to be put in circulation within the next few days.

Eleven of the local banks are straight commercial institutions, which operate under State charters. Their total capitalization is about $1,759,000, and their surplus holdings are $304,083.52, several being comparatively young institutions which have not ceased charging off their books the cost of establishment and running expenses. Stockholders in these banks will receive $37,749.98 in dividends during the year, about $11,374.99 being due and payable within the next two months. Many of these banks are not yet paying dividends, for the same reason that they have no surplus accounts. Deposits amount to $4,323,923.72.

The following table indicates the exact condition of the banks:

Name—	Deposits.	Loans.	Capital.	Surplus and undivided profits.	Bank Dtv. value.	—Market— P.c. Bid.	Asked.
American National	$ 4,762,599.19	$ 3,407,326.52	$ 1,000,000.00	$ 194,580.52	$139.00	6 $125.00	$135.00
American Savings	1,545,000.00	1,370,000.00	225,000.00	63,606.00	100.00	6	.....
Bank of Highland Park	92,980.54	57,653.79	25,000.00	6,322.50	100.00	6	.....
Bank of Huntington Park	40,000.00	24,500.00	25,000.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....
Bank of Los Angeles	396,154.50	267,525.00	100,000.00	.....	100.00	.....	125.00
Bank of So. California	443,178.71	303,193.75	200,000.00	30,682.37	130.00	.....	135.00
Broadway Bank and Trust Company	1,389,827.39	1,413,288.23	250,000.00	256,368.69	179.00	6 182.00	185.00
California Savings	512,259.04	374,201.12	200,000.00	33,184.67	133.00	6	130.00
Central National	1,827,171.67	1,127,510.12	250,000.00	257,007.16	202.00	6 200.00	205.00
Central Trust Co.	965,000.00	591,000.00	200,000.00	.....	100.00	.....	105.00
Citizens' Nat'l Bank and Trust Co.	998,921.69	998,892.20	200,000.00	416,299.17	208.00	10	245.00
Columbia Trust Co.	658,964.23	778,250.00	300,000.00	25,000.00	108.00	6	.....
Commercial National	1,044,370.17	892,092.50	200,000.00	42,000.00	130.00	6 140.00	150.00
Dollar Savings Bank and Trust Co.	597,921.58	398,567.20	200,000.00	37,456.20	138.00	6 150.00	.....
Equitable Savings	1,135,500.83	884,731.09	200,000.00	61,630.20	130.00	6	.....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	3,697,360.78	2,977,794.09	1,500,000.00	1,706,516.65	213.00	12 275.00	300.00
Federal Bank	215,449.52	140,626.54	25,000.00	8,161.40	114.00	7	16.00
First National	13,362,917.79	9,673,623.49	1,250,000.00	1,422,951.79	242.00	20 420.00	425.00
German-American Savings Bank	8,589,672.93	6,778,199.11	600,000.00	324,217.85	154.00	10 200.00	215.00
Globe Savings	130,619.90	275,533.61	100,000.00	18,902.75	118.00	6	115.00
Home Savings	470,450.21	750,501.50	200,000.00	13,000.00	104.00	6 125.00	135.00
Int'l Savings and Exchange Bank	614,327.00	325,784.00	148,200.00	11,625.42	105.00	7 120.00	125.00
Japanese-American	291,936.52	218,686.00	100,000.00	5,065.34	82.00	7	90.00
Kimmon Ginko	112,665.39	61,515.00	100,000.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....
Los Angeles Trust Co.	2,564,385.27	2,966,176.19	1,000,000.00	238,968.10	137.00	.....	.....
Manhattan Savings	159,323.80	139,366.43	25,000.00	2,000.00	104.00	.....	120.00
Main Street Bank	55,367.13	61,402.05	20,000.00	.....	100.00	.....	150.00
Market and Produce	363,024.32	351,294.75	50,000.00	3,979.35	108.00	.....	110.00
Mechanics' Bank	23,855.60	28,311.00	25,000.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....
Merchants' National	3,441,180.74	2,982,427.51	200,000.00	484,211.94	242.00	10 420.00	.....
Merchants' Trust Co.	627,272.60	407,638.61	100,000.00	38,987.27	.....	.....	.....
Metropolitan Bank and Trust Co.	941,124.40	422,350.61	200,000.00	92,691.53	187.00	.....	.....
Miners' and Merchants'	167,515.76	194,436.30	100,000.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....
Nat'l Bank of Cal.	2,422,662.34	1,545,560.24	500,000.00	322,699.21	138.00	6	139.00
National Bank of Commerce	333,010.28	251,067.60	200,000.00	91,741.44	113.00	.....	115.00
Pacific Savings	57,662.44	136,485.52	74,750.00	7,629.75	10.50	5	11.00
Security Savings	21,347,189.39	14,977,197.56	1,500,000.00	422,597.31	153.00	15	300.00
Southern Trust Co.	2,750,000.00	2,500,000.00	1,000,000.00	275,000.00	127.50	.....	130.00
South Side Bank	74,277.19	69,975.62	25,000.00	1,500.00	102.00	.....	.....
U. S. National	883,695.68	579,324.42	300,000.00	84,081.41	132.00	6 180.00	185.00
Four banks not having statement (approximately)	225,000.00	225,000.00	175,000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	$83,117,380.59	$68,402,548.34	$12,768,050.50	$6,643,283.43	.....	.....	.....

There are eleven savings banks, with a combined capital of $2,731,992. Surplus and profit holdings add $971,593.32 to their assets. Dividends to stockholders for this year will total $316,817, of which $125,408 is due and payable immediately. These banks hold about $37,077,286 of the people's money. About $1,197,804 is due depositors in interest money.

Five of the local institutions do business under trust-company charters, their capitalization amounting to $2,790,500. Their surplus and profit accounts add $418,956. Deposits in these five banks total $7,385,571. As several of these banks are new the amount in dividends is comparatively small, about $60,000 being payable to stockholders during 1908. As these trust companies pay depositors at rates ranging from 2 to 4 per cent., according to the kind of account carried, there is due something like $221,500 in interest.

While deposits have decreased in all banks of the city since the statement issued at the close of business last June, when they held a total of $101,374,349.62, and had loans outstanding of $79,700,813.26, an analysis of the accompanying table reveals the fact that the banks are in relatively as firm a position as in the summer just passed. While deposits have decreased considerably, loans also show almost as great a decline. The surplus and profit account, as a whole, shows a distinct gain, and in comparison the banks are in a firm position, with large cash reserves.

THE NATIONAL BANKS.

The oldest and one of the strongest national banks in the West is the Farmers' and Merchants', with a capital of $1,500,000, deposits totaling $3,697,502.26, and a surplus account of $1,706,516.65. This bank pays quarterly dividends of 3 per cent., and has just begun the payment of the first installment of the year. A large sum was carried to its profit account at the end of the year.

The First National Bank is next in amount of capitalization, with $1,250,000. Its surplus and profit account amounted to $1,423,951 at the end of the year. Deposits were $11,362,917.79. Dividends at the rate of 20 per cent. a year are declared, the bank having begun disbursing $92,500 to its stockholders, each of whom will receive a bright 25 gold piece as a reminder of each share of stock he owns. The bank's income is swelled materially by the profits made by two local subsidiary institutions—the Los Angeles Trust Company and the Metropolitan Bank and Trust Company.

With a capital of $1,000,000, the American National Bank is next among the larger national institutions. Its statement shows a total of $3,562,599.19 deposits. There is $194,580.52 in surplus and profits. Dividends total $60,000 a year, 6 per cent. being paid on the bank's capital, half of which is now due.

The National Bank of California, which has just left the cramped quar-

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POWER.

BEACH JUICE PLANT BEATS THE WORLD.

AT THE completion of an elaborate twenty-four-hour test by experts yesterday at the mammoth $1,000,000 electric-generating station of the Pacific Light and Power Company at Redondo, it was asserted that the world's previous record for the economical performance of a steam power plant had been broken.

The test, which was made by a large corps of engineers, concerned one of the units of the plant that supplies electricity for the operation of the trolley lines of Los Angeles. This supply—30,000-horse power of energy—was sent into Los Angeles for the first time on Wednesday, a tremendous aid in the operation of the Huntington lines.

The result of the test is said to exceed the fondest expectations of engineers representing both purchasers and contractors, and means much to the contractors, Charles C. Moore & Co., engineers, who, by exceeding their guarantee, are insured a handsome bonus of several hundred thousand dollars.

An extended official test, to cover a period of ninety days, now is to be conducted by a committee of engineers that includes Edward S. Cobb, representing the Pacific Light and Power Company; E. R. Weymouth, expert for Moore & Co., and Prof. C. L. Cory. On the final satisfactory report of this committee the big bonus will be paid.

The Redondo plant is by far the greatest of its kind west of Chicago. Attention of engineers and power users throughout the world was attracted two years ago when the Pacific Light and Power Company decided to adhere to the steam engine as the prime mover in the face of great advances in economy reported to have been made by its new competitor, the rotary steam turbine. The company's engineers naturally are highly elated at yesterday's demonstration of the wisdom of their selection.

"Not only is a new mark set by the unit as a whole, consisting of engines, boilers and auxiliaries," said Mr. Weymouth, who aided in the test, "but also two other high-water marks are established. The huge McIntosh and Seymour four-cylinder compound engine distanced all previous records for low steam consumption per horse power among turbine as well as engine-type prime movers. Also a new record has been established for boiler efficiency with California crude oil, Babcock and Wilcox boilers having advanced a new point in the world [illegible]rd previously held by the same [illegible]

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Five health inspectors were dismissed last night by the health board, to make the reduction provided for in an ordinance that passed the Council on Monday.

The Police Commission listened to charges last night preferred against colored patrolmen by the Afro-American League of Los Angeles; the case savors strongly of Afro-American politics.

Chairmain Pease of the Council will serve until Monday as acting-Mayor.

Mrs. Anna Star, wife of a Pasadena osteopathic physician, was convicted of assault with a deadly weapon before Judge Wilbur yesterday. She tried to shoot a scantily clad woman patient of her husband, and now states that next time she will shoot to kill.

A deposition was taken by Judge Monroe yesterday in the divorce suit of Mrs. Emma J. Bohn, who charges her husband with cruelty for making remarks about her fidelity.

Mrs. Myra Seymour, widow of the late Maj. Frederick H. Seymour, won a victory over her stepson in the Probate Court yesterday.

One husband was granted a decree of divorce because his wife nagged him continually, and another husband was given his freedom because his wife hated the noise of a power-house.

Farnsworth, accused of rifling the Bullock safe, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday and preliminary examination was fixed for the 17th inst.

Twenty automobile owners who "scorched" to Pasadena were fined in the Police Court yesterday.

AT THE CITY HALL.

HEALTH BOARD SWINGS AX.

FIVE HEADS ARE CAST INTO RETRENCHMENT BASKET.

Inspectors Who Lose Places Are Said to Have Incurred the Enmity of Certain Members of the Council—Two Other Places in the Department Said to Be in Jeopardy.

At an executive session last night the Health Board selected five of the six inspectors who are to be dropped in order to bring the expenses of the health department within the budget estimate. Those who lose their places are Lodging-house Inspector Thomas A. West, Restaurant Inspector A. C. Kooch, Sanitary Inspector M. S. Carrisosa; Milk Inspectors Frank Ford and Guy Cherry.

The two milk inspectors are the ones last appointed, and they are dismissed under a civil service rule requiring that those last to receive place under an ordinance shall be the first to be dismissed. The board named E. W. Hotchkiss as the third milk inspector to go, but Hotchkiss protested, asserting that his rating is higher than that of other inspectors employed by the department.

The civil service certified to Hotchkiss for a place as inspector several months ago. At that time some of the other applicants said that Hotchkiss owned a part of a dairy and that he was not eligible to appointment for that reason. Hotchkiss was working in another place then and did not protest. He now claims that the charge was untrue, and that he is entitled to a place in advance of two or three others who have been retained. This question of his place on the eligible list has been referred to the Civil Service Board.

Milk Inspector Druce has apparently made his pull bring him through the ordeal in safety. The board overlooked the fact that there has been a pretty general request from Orange county for his removal, and that he has been accused before the board of making a false report. Politics has not yet lost its savor in the health department.

Chairman Wallace of the Finance Committee asserted at the last Council session that there are to be other reductions of force in the health department. He calls attention to the fact that the six positions abolished will not bring the department nearly within the budget appropriation. Wallace has proposed that the position of assistant restaurant inspector and that of Secretary to the Board of Health be abolished.

Two weeks ago the Board of Health passed a resolution, asking the Council to abolish nine positions in the department, but by the time the resolution reached the Council the number had been reduced to six.

After the Council meeting Monday a member of the Board of Health expressed himself on the action of the legislators as follows:

"Several members of the Council had certain persons whom they desired to see dismissed; the ordinance passed is so framed that those only may be dismissed. Within sixty days the Council will commence creating positions in the health department again, and will ask that certain persons receive emergency appointments. The game of politics as played in the health department is one run by the Council and not by the Board of Health."

TURMOIL IN AFRICA.

WHEN BLACK JOINS BLACK.

For three hours last night the police board listened to charges preferred against Patrolmen Glenn and Stevens, colored, by the Afro-American League of Los Angeles. A dark cloud hung over the Council chamber all evening; it is a case in which black joins black, and the tug in pulling the Afro-American colony into a bitter internecine strife.

The complaint against Glenn and Stevens alleges that they did go to the lodge-room of the Afro-American League while the lodge was in session, enter the room and forcibly remove one of the members, causing great mental anguish to the members of the league present.

The accused officers admit that they did this, also that they found later in the evening that the man arrested was not the guilty party, and that they released him.

Attorney Wideman handled the case for the league. He sought to convey to the commission the impression that Glenn and Stevens are not representative colored citizens, such as the colored colony desires to see adorn the police force. The break between the officers and the league was quite a shock to the commissioners, as the league has formerly been the strongest supporters of the colored men on the police force.

David Jones told the commissioners that he suffered indignities at the hands of these officers because he was so unfortunate as to have a name that is bourne in common with a few hundred other American citizens. He said that if he had been a yellow negro in place of a black one he might have been railroaded to the penitentiary on a felony charge. The officers were looking for a man who had broken into a house in the west end and stolen some money. He had been seen coming out by the neighbors. When Glenn and Stephens took Jones to be identified, the neighbors said that it was a case of mistaken color, that it was a yellow negro who stole the money. Jones is as black as a native of Liberia.

Chief Kern and his captains gave to the accused officers an excellent record, testifying that they are among the best on the force. In the absence of the Mayor, Commissioner Lewis acted as chairman.

When the testimony was all in, the commissioners took the case under advisement.

The colored colony will turn out in force again tonight to listen to charges preferred against Patrolman Alexander, a negro. The complaint alleges that Alexander extorted money from a peanut vendor by telling him that "the Chief and the Mayor needed it in their business."

Pease Now Mayor.

President Pease of the City Council will serve today and tomorrow as acting Mayor. Late last night Mayor Harper and Commissioner Cole left on what they say is to be a business trip to San Francisco. Before leaving, the Mayor said he has no appointment with Gavin McNab, the Democratic organization leader of San Francisco.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

FACES PRISON FOR "BLUFF."

PHYSICIAN'S EX-WIFE CONVICTED OF A FELONY.

Mrs. Star Found Guilty of Trying to Kill Scantily-Clad Patient of Former Husband—Woman Now Says She Will Shoot to Kill When She Gets Out of Penitentiary.

"I did not intend to kill my husband; it was only a bluff, but if they send me to the penitentiary I tell you truly I'll kill him for sure when I get out."

This was the assertion which Mrs. Anna Star made to Deputy Sheriff Doyle yesterday, after her conviction by a jury in the Superior Court of assault with a deadly weapon. Sentence will be pronounced upon Mrs. Star tomorrow morning by Judge Wilbur.

Altogether it was a remarkable story which Deputy District Attorney J. A. Donnell brought out in the trial of Mrs. Star yesterday. According to the testimony Dr. A. N. Star, an osteopathic physician of Pasadena, during the past thirteen years, ran away from his wife over half a decade ago back in the East, and brought his little son to California. The latter is now a student in the Los Angeles Military Academy.

About two and a half years ago Dr. Star was granted a divorce from his wife. A few weeks ago she came to California and took up her home in a lodging-house. On November 21 Mrs. Star went to the office of her former husband at No. 314 Lincoln avenue, Pasadena, and demanded that Dr. Star give her a written order to permit their son to spend Thanksgiving with her. The note was given.

As Mrs. Star started to leave the office she was overwhelmed with curiosity to peek into the operating-room of the doctor. She did so and saw a woman scantily clad in a gauze kimono.

Thirteen years of suppressed fury surged up in the heart of the physician's wife, and the language she used upon this discovery, as repeated upon the witness stand yesterday, is too warm for cold type. Suddenly Mrs. Star pulled an automatic revolver, with nine bullets in it, and attempted to shoot Mrs. Anna Cornell, the patient in the kimono.

Dr. Star grappled with her, and after a desperate struggle, for Mrs. Star is bigger and heavier than her husband, he managed to disarm her and put her out of the room. She then tried to get in by a window to annihilate Mrs. Cornell, and the police were called in.

Yesterday Mrs. Star testified that she only carried the revolver, which she had taken from under the pillow of a roomer of her boarding-house, for the purpose of "bluffing" her husband into giving her the order on the principal of the Los Angeles Military Academy to permit their son to go with his mother for Thanksgiving. The boy missed his dinner with her that day.

The witnesses testified that Mrs. Star threatened at the time of the assault to "blow out the brains of both of them," but, although Mrs. Star testified that his was a bluff, she now states that she means business when she gets out of State's prison, if she is sentenced.

SHE HATES NOISE.

BRIDE BALKS AT DYNAMOS.

The unalterable determination of a four months' bride not to go to housekeeping in apartments at one end of the Howard Summit power-house was the issue involved in Gertrude S. McKean's suit for divorce from Thomas Albert McKean, which came to trial before Judge Conrey yesterday. Mrs. McKean charged that her husband deserted her, while he filed a cross-complaint, asking for a divorce on the ground that she deserted him. After listening to the evidence, Judge Conrey decided that the husband was in the right, and granted him the decree.

Mrs. McKean stated on the stand that she married McKean, who is an electrician, in February, 1904. For a time they lived with her sisters, but later went to live with her parents in Wilmington. Her husband had talked with her that June, she said, about leaving her parents' home and finding a place of their own elsewhere, but she had refused to go until he could provide her with suitable quarters. She said that the only place he had suggested to her for a home was the apartments in the Howard Summit power-house, and there she would not live because it was too noisy and too lonely. So McKean left her parents' home, in June, 1906, and had not since contributed to her support.

McKean testified that he had offered to provide his wife with a home in Wilmington, Long Beach, or at Kern River, and had begun fitting up a home in the Howard Summit power-house, where he was employed, but Mrs. McKean would not leave her parents. When he left their home, he had begun to fit up a home for her, as he wished to have a home of his own, and would not stay longer with her parents. But his wife would not come to the home he was making ready, and so they had separated. "The fact that the wife did not even visit her proposed home with her husband," said Judge Conrey, "satisfies me that the desertion is rather on her side than his."

NAGGING A CAUSE.

HUSBAND GRANTED DECREE.

Constant nagging, which included charges of improper conduct with other women, published newspaper articles subjecting him to humiliation, and an assault with an earthen mug, were the grounds of charges of cruelty which Rudolph Von Meier made in Judge James's court yesterday in seeking a divorce from his wife, Margaretta Von Meier. Mrs. Von Meier did not oppose the suit, and a decree was granted to Von Meier by default, while the wife was allowed to retain the custody of their twelve-year-old adopted child.

Von Meier said that he was married at Reno in April, 1902, and for a time got along very well with his wife. But she was given to nagging him, and this became unendurable in time, particularly as she fell into the habit of wrongly accusing him of improper conduct with other women. One morning in June, 1907, she threw an earthenware mug at him, and later she caused newspaper articles to be published, in which she made public charges against him, and subjected him to public ridicule and humiliation.

SEYMOUR ESTATE.

WIDOW WINS FIRST VICTORY.

In the legal skirmish over the million-dollar estate of the late Maj. Frederick Henry Seymour, of the British army, who died in Pasadena July 7, last, the widow won a first victory yesterday in the Probate Court over her stepson, Gordon Seymour, when Judge Rives overruled the demurrer in opposition to the probate of the will and appointed Francis H. Anderson, of Leeds, Yorkshire, Eng., to take the depositions of the subscribing witnesses to the will.

While this estate in Los Angeles county consists of only about $15,000, it also includes an entire railroad system in Sonora, Mex., which brings in a large income every year. The widow, Mrs. Myra Seymour, is credited with having stated that the only son of Maj. Seymour would not get a penny. Young Seymour, who is 28 years old, has begun a contest of the will. The next hearing will be on February 27.

REPUDIATES HER.

WIFE NOW SEEKS DIVORCE.

The trial of Mrs. Mabel A. Bohn will be heard in the Superior Court on January 9, probably before Judge Monroe because Mrs. Emma J. Gosnan made a deposition before the presiding judge of the Superior Court yesterday. Because of this deposition, which was heard by Judge Monroe, Judge Conrey will miss the privilege of hearing the evidence in this case.

Mrs. Bohn charges her husband, H. A. Bohn, with cruelty and desertion. Yesterday Mrs. Gosnan made a deposition that she and Mrs. Bohn were walking along the street one day and met Mr. Bohn. His wife asked him why he had spread the report that she was untrue to him and he replied that he did nto want to have anything to do with her and to "get away from me." Then he ran away as fast as he could.

"Mrs. Bohn is a perfect lady," Mrs. Gosnan told Judge Monroe.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

GETS TEN YEARS. Judge Smith in the Superior Court yesterday told George Bowers that it was "very, very sad," and then sentenced him to ten years in San Quentin prison. Bowers was convicted by a jury of burglary in the first degree for stealing a quantity of valuable silverware from the home of C. C. Maxon in this city. C. F. Puckett, who helped Bowers in the burglary, recently pleaded guilty and he will be sentenced next week. His testimony helped to convict his former friend.

PLEADS GUILTY. Robert S. Anderson, 20 years old, pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery before Judge Wilbur in the Superior Court yesterday. On December 21 he forged a check in the name of Dickson Brothers furniture dealers of Pasadena, on the First National Bank of Pasadena and secured $16 from William Rogers, a restaurant keeper. Judge Wilbur advised the boy to apply for probation and postponed sentence for ten days.

DIVORCE DENIED. The trial of the divorce suit of William W. Glenn, a colored policeman, against Bertha M. Glenn, took up the whole day before Judge Smith yesterday. The charge was cruelty and the judge denied a decree.

NOT A TRUST. The District Court of Appeals affirmed the judgment of the lower court, yesterday, in the case of Christian Bertelsen against Lena Bertelsen. The plaintiff sought to have a trust declared to certain real estate for his own benefit. The Superior Court decided against him. The story told in court was that the plaintiff gave various sums of money to the defendant, which she invested in a lodging-house and real estate. After the couple separated and Bertelsen endeavored to have the court declare that his gifts to his wife created a trust.

HURT IN SMASH. John P. Shumway, Jr., has filed suit in the Superior Court against the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Company for $10,55, damages alleged due for injuries that Shumway received in a collision between his wagon and a west-bound street car at Westlake avenue and West Seventh street, November 11. Concussion of the brain, injured eyes and spine, and other permanent injuries are alleged in the complaint.

ASKS GUARDIANSHIP. Mrs. Kathro M. Burns yesterday filed in the Superior Court her petition that she be appointed guardian of her daughter, Kathro, who is heir to a $1250 estate.

MUST PAY. A jury in Judge James's court yesterday returned a verdict in favor of S. E. Goforth and M. A. Baird, two excursionists who received personal injuries in a collision on the Ocean Park roller coaster last February, and who sued the owner, A. E. Hiles, for $6000 each, alleging negligence in the operation of the coaster.

JUSTICE RETURNS. Justice A. L. Stephens returned Wednesday night from Cincinnati, bringing his bride with him, and will hereafter be at his office on New High street.

INCORPORATION. The Milne Tours Company, capital stock $50,000, yesterday filed articles of incorporation with the County Clerk.

BIGAMIST DIVORCED. Judge Monroe yesterday granted to Mollie Beasley a divorce by default from former Police Officer David I. Beasley, who was sentenced to one year in San Quentin two months ago for his bigamous marriage to Annie Roth, while his wife was absent from Los Angeles.

ASK INJUNCTION. George W. Lyons, business manager of the Los Angeles News, yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit against the city of Los Angeles, the members of the Common Council of Los Angeles and the Daily Journal Publishing Company, asking that the defendants be enjoined from carrying out the terms of the contract by which the city printing for 1908 was awarded to the Journal. Lyons alleges that his paper is a newspaper of general circulation, and is entitled to the printing on that ground and because its bid was the lowest made.

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THE INFERIOR COURTS.

PALES BEFORE THE PUBLICITY.

ALLEGED SAFE-RIFLER FEELS POSITION ACUTELY.

Is Held Under Bonds for Preliminary Examination—Fines Add to Expense of Trip to Pasadena of Twenty Motorists Who Speeded Their Machines Beyond Limit.

Elmer R. Farnsworth, charged with having rifled the safe in Bullock's department store, was arraigned yesterday before Justice Austin in the Hill-street Police Court, and held under $3000 bonds for preliminary examination January 17.

Farnsworth looked pale and haggard when taken into court by Detectives Murray and McNamara. The walk of more than a block from the Police Station to the courtroom seemed to shake what little nerve he had left, and he dropped his eyes when passing through the group of men and women without the courtroom door.

His eyes were red, as though he had been weeping, and he merely nodded when he heard the complaint read. Attorney Earl Rogers appeared on his behalf.

Park, the candy man, who is alleged to have received some of the proceeds of the robbery, also is under arrest on a burglary charge, and will be given a preliminary hearing January 14.

Fined for Speeding.

The Tournament of Roses probably will be long remembered by automobile owners of Los Angeles who took occasion to speed their machines on the way to the Crown City.

Twenty were arrested by Officers Humphrey and Coe of the motorcycle squad, who by their vigilance, undoubtedly prevented many accidents along the crowded roads leading to Pasadena.

Two if the men arrested were former offenders, and paid $25 each. The others were fined $15, and warned to be careful.

PUZZLES THE POLICE.

Authorities Cannot Understand Ruby Casselman and Suggest Treatment in an Asylum.

For the second time within the past two years Ruby Casselman, happy and smiling, yesterday faced Justice Austin in Police Court to answer to a charge of forgery.

The girl was as unconcerned as though she were attending some society function that bored her. She wished the bailiff a happy new year, chatted with the detectives who arrested her, and when called upon to answer the felony charge, she came forward smiling, placed her hand on the brass rail in front of the bar and informed the justice that she would be ready for trial as soon as he found time to attend her case.

The police are at a loss to know what to do for the girl. That she is no fit subject for the penitentiary is their belief; that she is a danger and menace to the banks of Los Angeles is also their belief. If Miss Casselman would consent to spending the next year or two in some private hospital where she could be carefully treated by experts on mental diseases, the police, as well as the courts, would probably be satisfied.

The girl summed up her malady yesterday when she said: "There seems to be some fascination about banks for me; I just can't pass one."

A complaint, regularly drawn, was filed yesterday by Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Pearson. Miss Casselman will not be tried on that complaint, according to the statements of officers unless Judge Smith refuses to take up the subject of violation of parole.

The penalty for breaking parole is a long term in State's prison. Miss Casselman will probably know her fate within a few days, but she is absolutely unconcerned about the charges against her, and seems to enjoy life.

DESMOND'S HORSE SHOW.

Beautiful Arabian Steed Given Away in Presence of Thousands of Disappointed Contestants.

There was an exciting time at Desmond's yesterday, during the giving away of the $1000 Arabian horse. The store was packed between and behind the counters and everywhere else that a man could stand, for the rule to be enforced was that the ticket bearing the lucky number must be there to claim the horse at the moment the choice was announced. Of course it was impossible for all of the 50,000 people to be present, but several thousand were there and many of them had in their possession tickets belonging to their friends. In fact it happened that the person who got the horse was not present, but had sent his ticket there by another; the fortunate man being Thomas Cassou, No. 427 South Olive street.

ARRAIGNMENT POSTPONED.

Manuel Sarabia, the last alleged Mexican revolutionist to be arrested by the Federal authorities in this city, was taken into the United States Court yesterday, but on motion of his counsel, arraignment was continued until tomorrow. Detective Thomas Furlong, who has been instrumental in arresting scores of dangerous Mexican revolutionists, has returned to the city from Prescott, Ariz. He stated that Sarabia's arrest was the result of positive information regarding his complicity in the conspiracy to march an armed force of bloodthirsty "reds" into Mexico. Furlong has in his possession a copy of an article written by Sarabia in a revolutionary paper printed in Spanish, in which he indulges in a sweeping and harsh criticism of the Federal officials who have been concerned in the proceedings against the revolutionists.

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING of the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles. The annual meeting of Stockholders of Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles, will be held at the banking building, on the southwest corner of Main and Fourth streets in the city of Los Angeles, Cal., on Tuesday, January 7, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year and for transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

CHAS. SEYLER, Cashier.
Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 14, 1907.

WESTERN GAS ENGINE COMPANY ANNUAL MEETING.

To the Stockholders of the Western Gas Engine Company:

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Western Gas Engine Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 906 North Main Street, in the City of Los Angeles, California, on Monday the 13th day of January, 1908, at 2 p.m. for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.
WESTERN GAS ENGINE COMPANY.
Per. FRED C. NELLES,
Secretary.

Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Title Insurance and Trust Company will be held at the office of the company in the Abstract Block, No. 261 New High street, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Tuesday, January 14, 1908, at 7 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

WILLIAM H. ALLEN, JR., President.
O. P. CLARK, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 2, 1908.

To the Stockholders of the Union Oil Supply Co.:

Please take notice that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Well Supply Co. will be held at the office of the company, 1252 Pico street, Los Angeles, Los Angeles County, Cal., Jan. 15th, 1908, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m. of said day, for the purpose of electing directors of said company and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

UNION WELL SUPPLY CO.
By F. M. Berry, Sec.

FRIDAY, JANUA

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One more Los Angeles mining concern is meeting with material success in Mexico, and unless all signs fail will soon be adding its contribution to the city's wealth in the form of regular dividends.

The Boca del Cobre mine, in Durango, southwest of Torreon, in one year's operations, covering the period from December, 1906, to December, 1907, has sent forward 1343 tons of high-grade ore, averaging $90 a ton, from which the sum of $122,139.84 has been received from the Torreon smelter.

The complete figures show that the ore contained 34,634 ounces of silver and 146,832 pounds of copper, an average of 54.46 ounces of silver and 4.72 per cent. copper per ton.

This result has been accomplished without any extraordinary attempt to maintain shipments at a high rate, the management having devoted a large part of its energy to development. The main shaft has now reached the 350-foot level, and over 800 feet of crosscutting and drifting has been done.

The Boca del Cobre Mining Company, organized under Arizona laws and registered in Mexico, is a Los Angeles concern, and maintains its head office in the city. Its capital is $1,500,000, in the same number of dollar shares; of this amount, 900,000 shares have been issued, and are held principally in Los Angeles, Pasadena and Philadelphia. Capitalists in the latter city have only recently become interested, the present satisfactory results having been obtained with local money.

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The complete figures show that the ore contained 94,624 ounces of silver and 165,582 pounds of copper, an average of 54.46 ounces of silver and 4.73 per cent. copper per ton.

This result has been accomplished without any extraordinary attempt to push shipments at a high rate, the management having devoted a large part of its energy to development work. The main shaft has now reached the 350-foot level, and over 1000 feet of crosscutting and drifting has been done.

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The greater part of the credit for its development is due to Capt. C. H. Boyer, the well-known mining engineer, who has been a prominent figure in every mining camp in the West for the past thirty years. J. D. Thomson of Pasadena is vice-president of the company; Henry A. Greene, secretary, and Lane C. Gilliam, formerly of Spokane, mine manager.

The ore so far shipped has been sent to the Torreon smelter, and it is necessary to haul it, at a cost of $4.50 per ton, twenty-six miles from the mine to Pedricena, on the Mexican International Railroad.

Cyanide Plant for Quartette.

The big Quartette mine, leading producer of the Searchlight district, will immediately erect a modern 150-ton cyaniding plant for the treatment of its tailings, at a cost of $30,000. The Blaisdell Cyaniding Company of this city is now at work on the plans. Manager G. B. Wilson and the cyaniding company's representative having arranged all preliminaries on the ground this week. The contract will be let as soon as the plans have been accepted, probably early next week.

The mine is already equipped with a thirty-ton stamp mill, and during its operations of the past few years 60,000 tons of tailings have been saved. It is said that the average value is in the neighborhood of $6 in gold, and that 85 per cent. of the values can be saved, at a cost not to exceed 90 cents per ton. There is enough of this material to keep the new mill in operation continuously day and night for over a year.

London-Arizona Plans.

Charles E. Finney, president of the London-Arizona Copper Company, left for the East yesterday on business connected with his company. It owns 1280 acres in the Banner mining district, Gila county, Ariz., about ninety miles east of Phoenix, on the Phoenix and Eastern branch of the Southern Pacific, and has been in operation about eight months, with a record of about 4000 feet of development work.

The main workings consist of two main tunnels and a shaft connecting. These tunnels are projected from the face of Schneider Cañon some 3500 feet toward the center of the property.

Tunnel No. 1 has reached a length of 150 feet, the ore over the tunnel being sixty feet in width.

Tunnel No. 2 is in over 250 feet. The width of the ore body being something over 100 feet. The oxidized ores in tunnel No. 2 have shown in the roof of the tunnel 4 per cent. copper. The sulphides began to show at 175 feet.

A large, three-compartment shaft will be sunk at about 2500 feet from the entrance to these tunnels, and will connect with the tunnels at a depth of about 800 feet. Another shaft will also be sunk on some of the big ore bodies exposed on the Governor Curtin claim. These two tunnels and the shaft will open up at once about 160 acres of the total 1280 acres in the property.

The ore body occurrences are described as the same as those found at Bisbee and Clifton-Morenci, being large, tabular masses of limestone. The ore deposits are generally and technically termed "contact-metamorphic."

The ore in many of these openings runs from 5 to 20 per cent. copper. Along the leached zones, the copper runs from 2½ to 3 per cent.

The company has projected a modern blast furnace plant, with auxiliary reverberatories of an ultimate capacity of 3000 tons per day. The furnace capacity of the smelter will be 1000 tons. The furnaces will be 48x240 in dimension. Later on they will be connected up, making furnaces sixty feet in length. The twenty-foot furnace will have a capacity of 350 tons per day. The sixty-foot furnace will have a capacity of at least 1600 tons per day.

Dividend in Sight.

Dr. W. K. Robinson, vice-president and director of the Little Florence lease at Goldfield, left for Phoenix, Ariz., yesterday to attend the annual meeting of stockholders, which will be held today. A proposition to amend the constitution to permit of the funds of the company being used for the purchase of other property will be brought up for consideration. The control of the company is said to be somewhat in doubt, but, if the present management has sufficient strength, the proposition will be voted down and a dividend of at least $100,000 declared. The company has a cash balance of $110,000 and ore on its dumps of a conservative value of $800,000. This material is going forward to the Globe smelter of the American Smelting and Refining Company at Denver at the rate of 100 tons a day, and shipments will be steadily maintained until a 2000-ton contract has been filled.

Deal for Noble Mines.

C. Mills Titus returned by automobile from San Diego on Tuesday after making an inspection of the Noble mines, near Descanso. The property has been idle for two years, but is well known as one of the most promising gold mines in the lower part of the State. It is equipped with a modern five-stamp mill and all other necessary machinery, and has in the past produced several hundred thousand dollars. Mr. Titus and a few local mining men are figuring upon a deal for the property, with every chance of ultimate success. He returned to the mine by automobile this morning, accompanied by a well-known engineer, who will report to the prospective buyers.

Virgin Valley Oil.

J. V. Stewart, interested in the Mizpah Extension at Tonopah and the Greenwater and Death Valley mine at Greenwater, has returned to the city after a trip to Salt Lake City and the Virgin River Valley oil fields, where he controls 4480 acres in the heart of the district. He reports between twenty and thirty wells being put down, but operators having much trouble with tools in an overlying formation known as Trenton lime. The prevailing financial depression has had its effect upon the district, but the work so far accomplished has proved the existence of oil at a depth of approximately 500 feet. It is not found in commercial quantities, however, and drills are kept busy getting further depth. A report was current in the camp, as Mr. Stewart left, that a paying well, eight miles from the center of activity, had been brought in; but the story has not yet been definitely confirmed. Mr. Stewart returns to the fields today, and will take with him a rig from Fillmore. He expects to remain several months, prospecting his holdings.

Leadville's Output.

It is believed that the Leadville output for 1907 will approximate 900,000 tons of ore of a value of $12,500,000. These figures are below what the district hoped to attain, but are accounted for by the serious drop in the price of silver and lead.

Movements of Mining Men.

John S. Cook, the Goldfield banker, has returned to the camp after spending the holidays with his family at the Leighton Hotel.

James F. Harvey, consulting engineer and general manager of the Patsy Clark interests, returned to La Magistral and Los Morsa mines in Jalisco, Mexico, yesterday. The property employs 125 men, and has recently crosscut a body of fine ore 50 feet wide without finding the hanging wall.

H. W. Boyer of the firm of Boyer, Thompson & Co., brokers of Goldfield, is in the city. He is a member of the Los Angeles-Nevada Stock Exchange, and is in charge of the news service maintained between the exchange and the camp. He reports matters in a quiescent state in Goldfield, and believes the troubles will soon be permanently settled.

H. W. Bonne, a wealthy retired merchant of Spokane, is visiting the city, and will remain all winter. He has just returned from a trip to White Horse, Alaska, where he is heavily interested in valuable copper property.

Malcolm MacDonald, formerly closely connected with the Schwab interests in Nevada and elsewhere, is a visitor at the Alexandria. He is now devoting his attention to banking in Tonopah, and to his personal mining affairs throughout the State of Nevada. Mr. MacDonald was prominently identified with the promotion of the Tonopah Extension, Montgomery Shoshone and Greenwater and Death Valley.

SANTA MONICA.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 2.—While there is no exact means of learning to the dollar the amount of the real estate transfers in Santa Monica during the year the estimates of the real estate dealers is that there was an average of more than one sale each day and that these represented a total consideration in excess of half a million dollars.

Santa Monica's postoffice receipts for the month of December were $1292.90, which exceeded the business for the corresponding month of last year by $150.54. The receipts for the quarter were $2181.10, being considerably larger than for the same quarter one year ago. As indicated by weight, the mail matter handled since July 1 shows a total of 14,829 pounds.

Residents of the Seventh Ward have organized a board of trade for the purpose of advancing the interests of the people of that section of the city. Officers have been chosen thus: J. F. Carstens, president; C. C. Schubert and J. Guntrip, vice-presidents; W. J. Sheely, treasurer; T. O. Sanderson, secretary. The directory includes the officers and S. Snow, R. S. Dow, M. Hudson and M. Langley.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Equitable Savings Bank

January 1st, 1908

ASSETS.

Loans as detailed below		$ 651,731.89
Bonds as detailed below		133,029.08
Bank premises		311,432.46
Safe deposit and other vaults		21,260.04
Cash and due from banks as detailed below		110,277.80
		$1,227,731.27

LIABILITIES.

Capital		$ 50,000.00
Surplus		43,830.39
Deposits:		
Term	$780,834.56	
Ordinary	143,270.25	
Special Ordinary	192,034.75	
Demand	8,098.05	
Cashiers' checks	9,662.87	1,133,900.88
		$1,227,731.27

DETAILS CONCERNING LOANS.

All loans are secured by first mortgages on real estate.
All securities are held by the Bank in its own vaults.
No loans are made to any officer or employee.

No. of Loans.	Per Cent. of Value Loaned.	Amount Loaned.	Value of Security.
177	Not exceeding 33 1-3 per cent.	$199,430.00	$ 948,365.00
62	Over 33 1-3 per cent., not exceeding 40 per cent.	103,635.00	271,200.00
184	Over 40 per cent., not exceeding 50 per cent.	348,466.89	746,375.00
1	Over 50 per cent., not exceeding 51 per cent.	2,200.00	4,300.00
424		$651,731.89	$1,970,240.00

No. of Loans.	Location.	Amount Loaned.	Value of Security.
418	Los Angeles County	$619,981.89	$1,808,240.00
3	Riverside County	20,250.00	125,000.00
2	San Diego County	3,000.00	15,000.00
1	Orange County	8,500.00	25,000.00
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LIST OF BONDS

Held by the Bank in its own vaults.

Name.	Par Value.	Cost.
Monets School District	$ 500.00	$ 504.80
Cucamonga School District	1,000.00	1,012.00
La Verne School District	2,000.00	2,027.80
Long Beach City School District	12,500.00	12,673.75
Cahuenga School District	23,000.00	24,966.50
Newport Beach School District	3,000.00	3,028.50
Corcoran School District	6,000.00	6,746.40
City of Santa Barbara	14,500.00	14,725.90
City of Ventura	2,000.00	2,058.80
City of Orange	33,750.00	34,891.25
City of Monrovia	7,200.00	7,525.28
City of San Diego	21,000.00	22,871.10
	$126,540.00	$133,029.08

CASH AND DUE FROM BANKS.

Gold, Silver and Currency	$ 54,222.23	
Scrip	4,776.00	
Exchange for Clearing House	3,249.35	
In vaults of Bank		$ 62,247.58
In First National Bank, Los Angeles		30,829.53
In Crocker National Bank, San Francisco		2,096.81
In National City Bank, New York		15,073.88
Remittance account, various banks		25.00
		$110,277.80

The financial stringency in Los Angeles began October 28, 1907. Between that time and the present we have paid checks on "Demand" and "Special Ordinary" accounts without interruption. "Term" and "Ordinary" deposits have been subject to notice, but the necessities of depositors have in every case been provided for, even where the amount was large or where gold was needed. Notices of withdrawal maturing during December were anticipated, and, so far as called for, were paid in November. The Bank has taken out no scrip, called no loans, nor sold any securities. The assets of the Bank (except money in other banks subject to check through the Clearing House) have at all times been unencumbered and in our own possession. The restrictions on withdrawals are being gradually removed and we believe that within a very short time none will exist.

During the period mentioned there has been deposited $552,224.88, and $580,512.15 has been withdrawn, thus showing a net decrease in deposits of less than 2½ per cent. Two hundred and fifty new accounts have been opened.

For the confidence indicated by these conditions, the officers express their grateful appreciation.

The Equitable Savings Bank is organized under the law as an EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS BANK, and enjoys, together with the depositors, the full protection guaranteed to that class of institutions.

4 per cent. paid on Term Deposits (semi-annually).
3 per cent. paid on Ordinary Deposits (semi-annually).
3 per cent. paid on Special Ordinary Accounts (monthly).

The last named accounts are subject to check without presentation of pass books, and interest is computed monthly on lowest balance. It must be understood, however, that while no notice is being required on these accounts, and probably never will be, the Bank never waives its right to do so, if necessary.

DIRECTORS:

W. J. WASHBURN, President. J. O. KOEPFLI.
W. H. BOOTH, Vice-President. JOSEPH SCOTT.
P. F. JOHNSON, Cashier. G. E. BITTINGER.
FRANK P. FLINT. CHAS. S. BRADFORD.

SMASH! * * * * *

CLARET DRAWN BY JOLLY ROW.

SCRIBES MIX MERRILY IN AN OCEAN PARK "EATERY."

One Accuses the Other of Having Struck at the Accuser While the Latter Was Wearing Eyeglasses. Lovely Account of It by One of the Participants.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 2.—As the result of a personal encounter this afternoon, A. W. Layne said he was signing a complaint for the arrest of J. A. Van Eaton, whom he charges with an assault. There has been bad blood between these two for several weeks. Layne is editor of the Journal, and Van Eaton is the Venice correspondent of the Los Angeles Examiner.

According to Layne's complaint, while he was seated in a restaurant eating his luncheon, Van Eaton approached him and struck him under the ear. The two then mixed and were separated with difficulty, as blood flowed freely from numerous scratches. The complaint charges that Van Eaton struck Layne while the complainant was wearing eyeglasses.

The Journal this evening printed the story by rounds and referred to Van Eaton as "a cowardly cur and a hair-brained crank." Van Eaton has expressed his determination to sue Layne and the Journal for libel.

POSTMASTERSHIP HIS.

According to telegrams received from Washington City, the fight for the postmastership of Ocean Park is over. Charles A. Stilson has received word from Senator Flint and Congressman McLachlan advising him that they have recommended him for the place. Mr. McLachlan, in his message, lets the other candidates down easily by saying: "Please have the fact announced in the papers that the other applicants may know." Mr. Stilson, who has been a resident of this beach for nine years, maintains a real estate, stocks and bonds office in Los Angeles. He has taken an active interest in politics and was offered the postmastership here more than a year ago, but did not care to accept it at the time.

FOR FIRE PROTECTION.

The City Trustees are giving consideration to the passage of an ordinance that is calculated to force the Board of Education to provide adequate fire protection for the Ocean Park schoolhouse. The object of the measure is to compel the school directors to install chemical and other fire-fighting apparatus to be used in conjunction with the hose and fire plugs of the organized fire department. The proposed legislation is out of the ordinary, inasmuch as it makes the members of the Board of Education amenable to punishment for violation of the law.

SAN PEDRO.

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 2.—The body of the man picked up on the beach near the breakwater in the outer harbor yesterday has not as yet been identified. For a time it was thought to be the body of Capt. E. A. Wolfe, who was lost from the launch Luke Kelley several weeks ago, but the clothing does not correspond to that worn by Wolfe at the time of his disappearance. The body is much decomposed and it is doubtful that identification will be possible.

The State Bank of San Pedro declared its twelfth semi-annual dividend on December 31, and placed enough funds to its undivided profit account to make the total of this item $27,000. The capital of the bank is $25,000.

Curtis Guild, Jr., was inaugurated yesterday for a third term as Governor of Massachusetts.

Central Department Store
600-610 S. Broadway Los Angeles

Your Money's Worth or Your Money Back.

January Sales

Stock taking already under way, is bringing to light many odds and ends of seasonable merchandise, which for the sake of speedy clearance Friday, have been priced 'way under original value. We're simply FORCED to make way for the spring stocks—which is your profit and our loss.

Our January Clearance Sales are creating the biggest sensation ever aroused over merchandise at bargain prices. Back of these sales are a number of very fortunate trade deals which enables us to give you even more for your money than we had thought possible.

Keep your eye on the "Central" store and these January Sales. A most important feature about them is the daily Date Sales.

Remnants Wash Goods, Dress Goods and Silks

Remnants of Shirting, Prints, Madras and Ginghams; worth up to 25c yard. — Choice at 9c yard

Choice at 10c yard — Remnants of Figured Swiss, Long Cloth, White Waistings, Voile and Organdie; worth up to 50c a yard.

Choice at 39c yard — Three to twenty-yard remnants of Silks and Velvets. Waist, skirt and dress lengths. Accumulated remnants from big Pre-Inventory Sales. Values up to 1.50 per yard.

REMNANTS OF DRESS GOODS—Black and all colors. Two, three, four and five-yard lengths. Regular values up to $3 a yard. — Choice, two lots 39c, 69c

January Sale of Men's Furnishings

75c NIGHT SHIRTS, 44c. Extra heavy muslin shirts, without or with collars; cut extra long and full. All sizes; regular 75c value. Friday at..... 44c

1.50 UNION SUITS, 98c. Merion and cotton form-fitting suits; exceptionally good garment. Regular 1.50 value for..... 98c

75c WOOL UNDERWEAR, 42c. Natural gray Merion shirts and drawers; finished nicely and made well. Worth 75c a garment. Choice at..... 42c

NECKWEAR, 23c. Men's pure silk four-in-hands from our regular 50c and 75c stock. Slightly soiled. Specially priced at..... 23c

7.50 Trimmed Hats..... 3.50

Large assortment of women's trimmed millinery. All new wonderfully stylish hats fresh from our own workrooms. Special styles, trimmed with large bows and wings; almost any color imaginable. Regular 7.50 values. Friday—second floor —priced at..... 3.50

18-in. Embroideries

Fine nainsook embroidery corset covering; 18 inches wide; eyelet, shadow, raised and open work embroidery in a variety of new and beautiful designs. You'll find nothing like it in Los Angeles. Regularly worth 45c and 50c per yard. In sale Friday—January Clearance Sales, choice, per yard..... 25c

Choice of any Man's Suit or Overcoat Worth up to $30..... 13.75

Remember Our Date Sales. 3c Sale Today.

James W. Hellman
161 N. Spring St.
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Editorial Pot Points

The plethoric year's end dividends are only auguries of the good times to come.

We think recent events have proved that the great American disease is not the grip but the grab.

An Oregon woman is dead at the age of 119 years. Think of all the umbrellas she must have used up.

When a railroad once becomes Ryanized it is even in a worse fix than it would be were it to be Bryanized.

Some men are born great, some have greatness thrust upon them and some owe it entirely to their press agents.

Those disagreeable persons you meet these days are men who made a resolution that they would quit smoking.

If Taft should fall down Hughes will certainly be the man. And there won't be anything the matter with that, either.

The New Year starts out well. It is now three days old and there hasn't been a Denver editor mocked down yet.

"The Human Hair Workers' Union" has been formed in New York. It will doubtless affiliate with the Butter Makers' Union.

We hate to mention it, but we feel it our duty to warn those who are too happy that the Thaw trial will start in again next week.

A New York fortune teller says that prosperity is about to return. He would be a poor man at his trade if he couldn't foretell that.

The Japanese are now afflicted with the popular song craze. It's a wonder the brown man wouldn't pick up some of our good customs.

Nearly all the wives of the Cabinet officers wore Irish lace at the New Year's reception. Easy to know another election is at hand.

Khaldoh, the seer, predicts that New York will not go up in smoke. It would perhaps be impossible to get enough smoke for it to go up in.

George Ade may go into politics and he may succeed at it, but his fame will rest on the work he has done in behalf of the American language.

Southern California is not a land of one season as envious carpers assert. We have at least three seasons—Christmas, New Year's and summer.

When Wu Ting Fang returns to this country he will find that we are able to answer a great many questions that stumped us when he was here before.

The fine Italian hand of Thomas F. Ryan appears in the financial grief of the Seaboard Air Line. But you can bet anything you like that Thomas is losing nothing.

The birth rate in France continues to steadily decline while the country increases in wealth. We are afraid that France is not pursuing a good course, for all that.

The proposition to make every man account for the money he has acquired might prove bothersome; but we fail to see how any honest man could be discomfited by it.

The way to quit smoking is to do it gradually. Take example of the Irishman who said to the soldier: "Play the Boyne Water till I see how much of it I can stand."

Vaudeville entertainments were given in the Chicago jails on Christmas Day. Why should crime be exhibited before criminals who are undergoing the process of reform?

The newspapers have not yet begun to select a cabinet for Taft. They have probably come to the conclusion that Taft is the kind of man who will attend to that himself.

The Mosquito Indians are in revolt against the government of Nicaragua. If there are as many of them as their name would indicate Nicaragua may as well hike for the deep waters.

The American Consul at Berne, Switzerland, has written a poem in which he speaks of "a bat with a twilight brain." Any American who has been on a bat will easily understand the reference.

Mr. Bryan makes $50,000 a year as a lecturer. Why on earth he wants to tie himself down to a hard job like the Presidency for the same money is more than a reasoning person can understand.

One of the season's plays is called "Going Through the Rye." After the curtain falls the male members of the company doubtless witness a performance of coming through with the rye.

The old year started in with a wave of appalling disaster, crime and death. The contrast that we now witness ought to make the New Year look good to everybody but lawyers and undertakers.

Rumored that Mr. Harriman will now take over the Seaboard Air Line. Say what you will, he'll make it pay dividends to the stockholders. E. H. is great on rehabilitating broken-down roads.

The Salvation Army will give anybody who wants it a plate of soup and several slices of bread for 2 cents. The offer will doubtless be accepted largely by people who fear bad times and have money hoarded away in their stockings.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat is astounded to learn that California has placed an order for 200,000,000 tin cans. Well, you see, it is a fad among Californians for almost every man to own three or four dogs in cans to make believe he is poor.

LET US GET AT THE TRUE REPUBLICAN SENTIMENT.

The most important matter before the American people this year is the election of a President. The most important duty of the Republican party is to get the right man nominated. Give the party the right standard-bearer and the people will elect him by a rousing majority. With a man at the head of the ticket who does not represent to the full the Republican principles and policies of the year 1908, the result would be in doubt.

Here in California we are concerned with sending to the national convention a delegation of true and tried Republicans pledged to nominate a man who will truly represent the party and stand for advanced Republicanism, unmixed with any notions which properly belong to parties other than the Republican.

What is needed now is a full and prompt expression of Republican sentiment. There is no doubt as to what the people wish. California Republicans are almost unanimously for the Roosevelt administration, for the Roosevelt policies, with such modifications in those policies as conditions in the years 1909 to 1913 may call for. The Republican party of this State want no reactionary candidate. They wish for a true successor to Theodore Roosevelt, since the President himself has refused to stand for reelection.

Nor is it desirable that there should be any division in the party ranks. There are no side issues to take into account, no material differences of view to separate us one from another. The issue is clear cut, as simple as unity itself, and should call together in one united host all the Republicans of this State who are worthy to claim the name. With few and unimportant exceptions they are for the Roosevelt type of administration, and to secure this they nearly all agree that William H. Taft is the man to head the ticket. If there is any contrary sentiment in the party in California, we do not know it; and if there is, let us learn what it is at once. Who is against Taft?

There is no election at which an expression might be had. A thorough organization of the party is the right recourse. This way is simple and easy, and will be efficacious if put in practice. The Assembly districts are the subdivisions through which such organization may naturally be accomplished. Republican clubs afford the proper machinery. There are a large number of these clubs already in existence. There should be one or more in every Assembly district in proportion to population and territorial extent, so that every member of the party may have opportunity to ally himself with the regular organization. For admission to these clubs there should be but one test—that of the primary. Let no "banner with a strange device" be raised by latter-day pretenders, coupled with an impudent demand that veteran Republicans march under it or suffer party expatriation. Let the applicant prove his Republicanism and on this admit him. Let there be no entrance fee, no dues, no compulsory tax of any kind. If here and there one voter is unable to contribute, there will be enough ready, willing and able to meet all necessary expenses, which are small anyway.

Republicans must be alert to the devices of the enemy who will seek entrance into our ranks, flaunting side issues, to get up a factional organization under the false pretense that something is in danger. A faction, a small minority of the party—including even some persons who do not belong to the party—is out in a vicious attempt to confuse the people and split the party. These people are made up largely of renegade Democrats, Populists and "new lights" of all shades of flame. They did all the small mischief in their power to defeat the Republican ticket at the last State election, in a vain effort to elect one of their own radical clique Governor of the State. They are using the cry of danger to the direct primary law, a false pretense to reach a goal which is no more nor less than seizing control of the party for their own political advancement. Turn a deaf ear to them, or reply that there is no effort on the part of any section of the party to oppose the primary election law. The party is for it heart and soul, and the official records prove the fact.

With a thorough organization of the Republicans of the State in regular Republican clubs, let a vote be taken showing the preference of members for President of the United States; and early enough, say during the first week of April, let such votes be forwarded to the secretary of each Republican county committee, duly tabulated. This regular official of the party may then tabulate the whole county Republican club vote and send this to the State Central Committee, duly certified. The State vote being counted, the State Central Committee may then send the result of the decision to the State convention assembled to elect delegates to the national convention. Thus these delegates will be duly informed of the will of the party and pledged to carry it out in selecting a candidate for the Presidency.

There is nothing factional in this plan. There is no personal interest involved in it. No ambitious politician can use it to further his own ends. It will truly represent the real sentiment of true Republicans, and all should be glad to reach that right result. No simpler plan, no fairer one, could be devised. In this way every Republican in the State may express his sentiments. The organization will be a splendid vantage ground from which to conduct the campaign. With a candidate who fully represents party views, the enthusiasm will be lively for his election. Every Republican in the State will feel that he has had a direct hand in the selection of the head of the ticket, and will naturally wish to see him made President.

As said above, The Times has no doubt that a canvass of sentiment will demonstrate the overwhelming popularity of Secretary Taft. For months The Times has been urging the formation of Taft clubs in California, and many of these have been formed. The members of such clubs could and should vote in any poll that is made as herein outlined.

The Times waives none of its fixed views as to the exercise of personal independence, it respects the voter who at the polls refuses to swallow an obnoxious ticket; but in the matter of the selection of a standard-bearer the will of the whole body of Republicans must be supreme. The national convention, duly assembled, is the Supreme Court of the party.

But it is presumptuous, impudent, false and preposterous for a small faction of the party to bob up with the claim that they have more intelligence, wisdom, patriotism and virtue than the party has. The converse has been made a proverb based on human experience. Such impudence is the more preposterous when so many members of the faction are raw recruits from the ranks of the enemy and have so recently tried to wreck the party which they now wish to control.

A French editor visiting New York has declared that all that prevented war between the United States and Japan was the refusal of France to lend either nation the necessary funds to carry on the fight. We'll bet that John W. Gates will bet this fellow a million that he doesn't know what he's talking about.

How would it be to trade off all the Chinese highbinders to her Serene Majesty, the Empress Tsi An, in exchange for as many of the right kind of Chinamen? She knows how to take care of the former and we need the latter in our business.

The trouble with the water wagon is that it persists in going slow when it passes a saloon.

A WORLD BEATER.

COFFINED HIS BIRTHRIGHT.

Nowadays to be queer is to be as common as a millionaire; certainly eccentricity is no longer an attribute of genius. The real leaders of today, the men of power, of gigantic intellect, who have won the heights by use of mental force, are quiet and unaffected and disprove the theory that great minds are to madness near allied. It is our millionaires who are odd.

Benjamin Hadley of Somerville, Mass., accumulated over $1,500,000 before Death appeared to him a few days ago in the guise of the ferryman. The fact that he was a millionaire causes little remark. That he attained the age of 90 years may or may not be explained by the fact that he was a bachelor. He was born in Somerville and it is said that only on one occasion did he travel beyond the greater Boston district. It is related of him that he never joined any kind of organization, never had his life insured, never purchased a ticket for any sort of entertainment, never ate a meal in a hotel or restaurant, did not spend more than one dollar in his entire life on car fare, and had not voted for forty years.

But Hadley's real fame, according to the newspapers of his home town, rests on the fact that he spurned the use of collars. What an ennobling example to the younger generation, and how splendid an epitaph at the end of ninety years spent in accumulating a million: "He never wore a collar!" Compare that with the message left by a man who died poor in this world's goods but rich in its love: "To be honest, to be kind—to earn a little, and to spend a little less, to make upon the whole a family happier for his presence, to renounce what shall be necessary and not to be embittered, to keep a few friends, but these without capitulation—above all, on the same grim condition, to keep friends with himself."

How does this millionaire measure up to that? Judged by the canons of Robert Louis Stevenson his life was a failure. He must have held himself aloof from his fellow-men, and it is impossible to think of him as having been able to keep friends with himself. The evil that men do lives after them, and certainly if any persons who read the details of Hadley's career are tempted to go and do likewise, his eccentricity—as it is politely called—will not be without its malign influence.

Of course, we can pass over with a smile such harmless peccadillos as disdaining collars and refusing to feed nickels into the greedy maws of street car companies; but the man who does not vote is recreant to his citizenship. This millionaire stood aloof for forty years. Judged by the monetary standard of the times, he did not bury his talent, but now, when his country comes to scan his career, it remembers him, not as one who amassed wealth, but as one who deliberately coffined in early life part of the birthright of the free-born.

THE FARTHEST WEST?

As we break into this new year all signs point to good times for the Farthest West. Whatever may happen to the rest of the world, this great slice of the United States lying along the Pacific Ocean is all right.

From the most northerly point up in the State of Washington, a generation ago the cry of the few scattered colonists was the Chinook Indian word, "Alkai." This means in English "by and by." There is no part of the Great West today which is a by-and-by country. From the Straits of Fuca to the Mexican border it is the pulsating, living country of today.

When the next census is taken, the three States lying along the shores of the Pacific Ocean will show a total population of probably 6,000,000. At any rate it will be an increase of 100 per cent. over the figures for 1900. If we cross the most westerly great chain of mountains running from north to south inland from the ocean shores, we shall find in the great valley between this range and the Rockies, all along from the Canadian to the Mexican border, a similar growth of population during the last seven years, and the promise of a continuance of this growth until the decade shall end and another census be taken. Arizona, a generation ago, had no such promise as that presented by the great Territory of Washington, with its wonderfully extensive plains of rich agricultural lands, its great streams and forests, its mineral deposits, all a prophecy of a great State in the time to come. Arizona was a negligible quantity in the minds of Americans fifty years ago. There we see a development of agriculture not quite parallel to that in Oregon, Washington and California, but one decidedly surprising to those who knew the Territory half a century ago. But in mineral wealth this Territory is proving itself a perfect treasure-house of the nation. Her mineral output in the year just closed brought back into that Territory $67,000,000.

There is no imaginable concatenation of adverse circumstances possible during the rest of this decade to seriously retard the growth and development of this greatest Farthest West. Whatever happens on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains and easterly from there to the Atlantic Ocean, there will surely be continued growth of population and development of wealth on everything from the topmost peaks of the Rocky range westward through the great interior valley, and over the slopes of the Sierra Nevadas, both east and west, and onward to the shores of the Pacific. The new lands are forever the lands of promise. The resources of the Eastern States are not yet half developed, but their development is so far ahead of anything known in the West that population there already begins to crowd, each person treading on the heels of another, in hopes of some movement of the procession which will give an opportunity of employment to persons and for investment to superabundant capital. There is room for all west of the great Rocky range to the Pacific Ocean to find profitable employment for hands, heads and wealth, and leave abundant opportunities for new population. Of course, in saying this one is contemplating persons of mental and physical energy, with skill to do something, either directly or through directing others, with initiative and courage.

Turn to what point of the subject one will, everything promises the brightest and best for this great western country, from its farthest northern boundary at Canada to its most southern one at Mexico. At the present time the winter influx of tourists and homeseekers is as great as ever known before. Next summer the fleet of peace compellers will be here in our own waters. We may look for the very largest streams of visitors to the Coast next summer. Continually, every year, Southern California is becoming better known as a most desirable summer resort, this reputation being a decided rival of that as a winter resort. The interior valleys between the great mountains, with torrid summer suns, send us armies seeking cool summer breezes. The presence of the fleet at different points along the Coast next summer will draw an unusual number of such visitors.

The tourist trade is a thing no intelligent inhabitant of Los Angeles will for a moment underrate, even if it were only as tourists that our visitors came. But the greatest value of this tourist inflow is that those who come to briefly visit learn to love the land, with its blue sky above, its green fields below, the purple mountains on one side lifting their peaks into the clouds and the blue rippling ocean on the other side, making music day and night along the coast; a spell of fascination falls upon them, with the result that they become permanent residents of the country.

THE GREAT ENTERPRISE OF THE YEAR.

The one great programme before the city of Los Angeles for the year 1908 is to make a good beginning in the most important task of driving the tunnels and digging the ditch which is to bring the Owens River water 240 miles from where the snow line ends upon the eastern slopes of the Sierras, across hills and deserts, to make glad this city by the western sea.

Every obstacle arising from circumstances over which we had no control, and which therefore might have been immovable, is likely to disappear under natural laws without our lifting a finger. It has been plain since this great undertaking was first broached that it would be difficult to obtain sufficient labor to dig this ditch and drive these tunnels and perhaps more difficult to obtain money by the sale of bonds in eastern financial centers. The enormous pressure of unmatched industrial activity all over the country during the summer past created much anxiety in the minds of the city authorities and of all our intelligent citizens as to where we were to get the labor to do this work and the cash to defray the great expense. Through a fortunate stroke, the State of California (thanks to Gov. Gillett.) took one-half of the first issue of our aqueduct bonds, furnishing $510,000 ready money, an ample amount for starting the work with a big anger.

There is no occasion to worry about selling additional bonds as more funds are required. The old saying about the "ill wind" seems well borne out in this case. There will be during the coming year no such a pressing demand for either men or money as there was in the year just closed. In spite of the momentary difficulty about getting money in the United States, and the unusually high rates of interest prevailing everywhere, it is the opinion of all those whose business is the handling of finances and the studying of financial laws that in a few months money will be a drug on the market and interest rates exceedingly low.

Why does this view prevail? Because it is the law established by all previous experience. A money crisis or flurry or panic, whichever we may please to call it, is always followed by a time of abundant funds, high interest rates very quickly giving place to rates exceedingly low.

Look at the panic of 1884. Call money in New York in June of that year touched an extreme point of 18 per cent. In July it was 6, by August it fell to 3½, and remained at that rate for the rest of that year, with the exception of October, when it swayed back to 4 per cent. for a few days. With the opening of 1885 call money fell to 2 per cent. and prevailed at from 2 to 3½ for many months thereafter. Turn to the panic of 1893, much more severe than that of 1884. The climax came this time in June, when call money in New York touched 74 per cent. In July it went to 72, continued as high as 51 in August, but in September dropped to 7, in October to 3, in November to 2, in December to 1¼, and during the opening months of 1894, from January to April, both inclusive, the rate ran at 1¼ per cent. In 1903 there was a little less severe money stringency. In June of that year money was 4½ per cent., but in the flurry in July went as high as 10 per cent. The conditions were not quite like those in the two former years analyzed. The recovery was quicker, call money in New York in August dropping to 2½ per cent. There were fluctuations during that year, sometimes call money going as high as 9 per cent. But in the opening of 1904 came an entire relaxation. In January money was 6 per cent., February 2, continuing at that rate in March and dropping to 1¾ in April.

So it has been in every period of money stringency. The panicky feeling among the people draws large sums of money out of the banks and locks it up where it is unavailable for any purpose. This forces the banks to various expedients to procure money, as during the last three months, when by importing $107,000,000 of gold and by increasing the bank circulation, we added to our stock of money over $200,000,000. Already the panic is relaxing its grip on people's minds and in a very few weeks all the hoarded money will be back where it belongs, in the banks, the whole stock increased by this sum of over $200,000,000 procured in other ways. With much less demand than six months ago, in three or four months hence this increased supply of money will cause a decided drop in the rates of interest.

By the time the $510,000 procured from the State by the sale of Owens River aqueduct bonds is spent it will not be surprising if Los Angeles 4 per cent. aqueduct bonds command a considerable premium in the New York market.

There is no time to be lost in prosecuting this work. We are growing fast and need the water. One-half of the rainy season has passed, giving us in this city a precipitation of but a small fraction over two inches of rain. The normal precipitation would be nearly four times that amount. There is no necessity of becoming alarmed. Three months of the rainy season lie before us, and while this is about half of the rainy period in duration of days, it is the portion when we may expect a considerably larger rainfall under normal conditions than in the first half of the season. We shall probably get a sufficient amount of rain before the end of March for all crop purposes. But even should we get fifteen or sixteen inches of rain as a total for the year, the precipitation has been so moderate most years for seventeen past that the natural reservoirs in and back of the mountains have been considerably lowered. Should we be visited by a series of comparatively dry years, at the end of five from today the water supply of this city would not be sufficient. If we get the Owens River water delivered in San Fernando Valley by the end of 1913 we shall have to prosecute the work with all due diligence.

GOING THE ROUNDS.

"How will you know when you have really crossed the pole?" said a Washington débutante to Walter Wellman.

"Oh, that's easy," responded Mr. Wellman, carelessly. "The north wind will become a south wind."

The late Bishop James Newburn Fitzgerald, in an address in St. Louis, once declared that sympathy, far more than eloquence or learning, made for success in the ministry.

"Too many of us, through lack of sympathy," he said, "say the worst, the most inappropriate things. Thus a young Baptist friend of mine, condoling with a housebreaker in a jail, droned: 'Ah, my friend, let us remember that we are here today and gone tomorrow!'

"'You may be; I ain't,' the housebreaker answered shortly."

It is difficult to live up to a reputation as a humorist. J. Adam Bede seems to be able to do it, and every year the country has several good laughs over some of his Congressional witticisms. Recently he called on the President, and as he had a favor to ask, he thought it a good scheme to take his son (or was it eight?) boys with him. In Indian file they entered the President's office, and it was some time before Roosevelt noticed the youngsters.

"Well, well," in his characteristically enthusiastic way, "what have we here, Bede?"

"Oh, answered J. Adam, with utmost gravity, "this is my own string of Bedes."

HOROSCOPE FOR

Friday, January 3, 1908.

As one who hides his face, the sun grows dark,
And evil takes the grim prediction mark.

The year's first new moon rises tonight after having eclipsed the sun. The effect of this eclipse will be long continued. Serious troubles in Afghanistan and India may be looked for ere the year ends. Earthquakes are threatened in Central Europe.

The middle of the sign Virgo will be rising and Mars and Saturn setting in the seventh house.

These two planets will be exactly culminating at New York and the luminaries with Uranus exactly rising. This is ominous of some sudden terror and affliction in the great city of its vicinity.

Heavy storms along the Atlantic Coast are foreomened. Trade will flourish during the next months.

In the Far West Mercury, setting, afflicted, threatens annoyance and troubles with public enemies. A great outrage is foretold along the Pacific Coast and in San Francisco a high functionary is in danger of disgrace and ruin.

Mercury is in benefic aspect with the moon this day. The sign is favorable for writing important letters, dealing with lawyers and for traveling.

Influences are especially auspicious in the morning.

Beware of fire this day.

The woman whose birthdate this is will probably go on a journey before the year is out. The auspices are good, especially if the decision or start is made on a Saturday.

The man whose birthdate is today must use great care to keep his business together. Changes are predicted. Those in employ must be most cautious.

The girl born today is destined to a strange and eventful life. Her career will be brilliant, though not always fortunate.

The boy born this day will have within him the power to convert obstacles into stepping stones. He must learn, however, to use patience as well as cleverness.

It is the simple truth that Mr. Foraker has practically no strength beyond the limits of Ohio, so that he could make little progress toward convention support even if he had his State solidly with him. It must be regarded as the case that his motive in coming out as he does is to beat the Taft movement and cripple the canvass of his rival by showing the country that Ohio is not united in the cause of the War Secretary.—[Buffalo News.

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

Is Hammerstein hard pressed?

That's a question that has had New York guessing for the past week or two, for he has issued a stirring appeal for help on the Manhattan opera question.

His financing of grand opera on such ambitious would be hard enough for any impresario during Wall street's dry weather, but in time of stress and storm it becomes well nigh impossible.

Hammerstein, says Hammerstein, has caused him an enormous and unexpected extra outlay.

In securing for my subscribers such addition to my already existing incomparable forces (he writes) at an enormous salary, and at a time when business depression is affecting in no small degree the attendance of all theatrical and operatic performances, I am compelled to remind not alone my subscribers, but also the opera-loving public of the necessity, if not duty, of their strongest possible support to my efforts.

Commercialism and monetary gain have never been associated with my undertaking for a moment; my enthusiasm for the cause, my desire to add to the musical greatness of our city and its educational results, are the only factors prompting my position.

I have absolutely and positively no associates of any kind; not one dollar of any one else's money is invested in this gigantic work.

As wealth is computed today, I am not even a wealthy man. Around me, a single, solitary figure, is the institution of operatic productions supported and conducted by most of the most unlimited means. If I am instrumental in improving the standard of grand opera at my expense, I am entitled and have a right to demand a great a support as is accorded any other institution.

The existence of but one opera-house in New York can only result in retrogression of art and will bring opera singers into a position of servility to those who remain willing to distribute social favors and exhibitions.

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

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JANUARY REDUCTION SALE

How's This For Real Savings?

Our General Reduction Sale begins today. Sweeping price concessions all over the store, in all departments.

33 1-3 per cent off all Men's Suits (excepting dress clothes and uniform suits.)

33 1-3 per cent off all Men's Overcoats and Rain Coats.

20 per cent off all Men's Hats and Caps (except Stetson's.)

25 per cent off all Men's Furnishings (except agency goods.)

20 per cent off all Boys' Clothing.

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20 per cent off all Boys' Hats and Caps.

33 1-3 per cent off all Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases

33 1-3 per cent off all Girls' Coats.

300 pairs Men's $3.50 and $4 Shoes $2.45.

400 pairs Boys' $2.50 Shoes $1.95.

300 pairs Little Gents' $2.00 Shoes $1.65.

See our larger advt. page 13 part II.

SALE ENDS JAN. 18th

Harris & Frank (INC.)
Leading Clothiers
437-439-441-443 South Spring
Between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

When it comes right down to true value, not a shoe made to sell at $3.50 can approach this one—one of our $3.50 specials. Popular with school misses. Gun metal calf; 4 large buttons, welt sole. Cuban heel.

A fine shoe for general wear—serviceable in the extreme.

Staub's
BROADWAY, COR. THIRD.

GOLF QUEEN

An exceptionally fine perfume with an unusually fragrant bouquet odor, dainty, delightful. The name Ricksecker is a guarantee of lasting quality and distinctiveness. 50c per Ounce.

Ricksecker Drug Co.
252 SOUTH SPRING—Cor. FOURTH
S. P. BOTHWELL, Pres. H. M. NEWLON, Secy.

DECEMBER CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following are the sworn statements of the circulation of The Times for December, 1907:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct sworn record of the circulation of said newspaper for the month of December, 1907:

DECEMBER, 1907.

1	73,500	17	49,200
2	49,250	18	49,000
3	49,400	19	49,050
4	49,800	20	48,700
5	50,150	21	48,750
6	49,040	22	73,000
7	50,000	23	49,750
8	74,000	24	49,750
9	49,200	25	49,750
10	49,200	26	49,750
11	50,000	27	49,810
12	50,700	28	49,850
13	49,050	29	73,000
14	49,750	30	49,250
15	74,000	31	49,750
16—Sunday	49,850		
Total			1,978,370

The average circulation for every day of December, 1907, was..... 64,073

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Showing an average daily gain over the corresponding month of 1906 of..... 4,574

HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1907.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
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J. W. Robinson Company
Boston Dry Goods Store.
50. BROADWAY 235-237-239 So. HILL ST. 234-244

Our big January sale of undermuslins begins Monday. Full particulars in Sunday papers.

Children's $1.25 AND $1.50 Sweaters 75c

75c is our hurry-out price on an overstock of knitted wool sweaters in one to five-year sizes; all in white; some with red and some with blue braid edges; some with pearl buttons down front, and two pockets. Cut from $1.25 and $1.50 to 75c each. Main Floor Rear of Annex

"Bearskin" Coats Third Off

On Saturday all "Bearskin" Coats in mixtures, plain colors white and black, will be buyable at a third under early-season prices.

$5.00 Coats at . $3.35 | $12.50 Coats at . $8.35
$8.50 Coats at . $5.50 | $15.00 Coats at $10.00
$10.00 Coats at . $6.65 | $18.00 Coats at $12.00

Four to seven-year sizes.

Collar and muff sets of white "Bearskin" at 95c; heretofore priced $1.75 and $2.

Main Floor, rear of Annex.

These Sales Continue Till Saturday Night

Girl's long coats quarter off.

Everything in the 3d floor Art Dept. except yarns and embroidery silks at 25 per cent. discount.

$3.75 to $10 dressing sacques at $1.75.

20c to 35c embroideries at 10c.

35c and 50c black, white and colored malines at twenty cents.

All demi-made lace jackets and coats at half.

All women's and children's knit underwear, except Deimel's and Jaeger's, at 25 per cent. discount.

$10 and $15 street hats at $5.

Laces third off.

Women's 35c to 75c embroidered turnover collars at 25c.

Men's Shirt Sale

Price inducements that will prove irresistible to any good judge of values.

Men's 75c muslin night shirts, with French necks, at 55c.

Men's $2.50 and $1.50 night shirts of French satines and soisettes 95c.

Men's 75c Domet Flannel night shirts at 45c.

75c unlaundered white dress shirts at 55c.

$2.00 and $1.50 colored negligee shirts at 95c

Men's $6.50 wool and terry cloth bath robes at $4.00.

Just Inside Main Entrance

H. JEVNE CO.

For Your Friday Dinner

Fresh Oysters, per can, 70c and 30c
Smoked Finnan Haddie, per lb., 20c
Smoked Halibut.....lb., 25c
Smoked Salmon.....lb., 40c
Salmon Bellies...2 for 25c
Tongues and Sounds, per lb., 20c
Bismark Herring..3 for 25c
Rollmops.....3 for 25c
Anchovies..... lb., 20c
Deviled Crabs.....3 for 25c

TWO STORES: 6th and Broadway—208-210 S. Spring St.

Vollmer-Jantzen & Co.
The New China Store.
Cor. 7th and Hill Streets

Half Off Clothing and Overcoats
SOOTH-NEIGHBOURS
508 S. Spring St.
1/2 Off

Coulter Dry Goods Co.
219-229 S. Broadway — 224-228 S. Hill Street
Fourth Floor Cafe—A la Carte Service—Open Daily

A Sale of Women's Suits at $5.00

Contains Values Between $15.00 and $22.50

Looks preposterous, we'll admit, but the suits are here to back the assertion; handsome, rich materials in checks, plaids and stylish mixtures. Unless you "brag" about the remarkable bargain you secure, nobody will dream that you bought such garments for five dollars.

And, indeed, you couldn't, if we had all sizes in every color and style. The colors concerned are light and medium in shade; right for present or spring wear. And there are several different styles to choose from—Prince Chap, short, half fitted and the neat Eton coats that never go out of fashion. For like suits we have been obtaining $15, $17.50, $20, and $22.50 apiece, because they are worth those prices.

Good Jewelry At Half

Not an article in the following list that isn't worth double what we shall ask for it today, just because we're replenishing stocks now for spring trade and don't want any "oddments."

Long bead and oxidized silver chains, for lorgnettes, fans or watch chains; bead necklaces of amethysts, turquoises, coral, jet and similar stones; waist pin sets for shirtwaists and babies' dresses; collar supports; cuff links, fancy hat pins; brooches in novelty styles; dainty bracelets and two-piece buckle sets—all just half usual prices.

Economical Undermuslins

Economy's the keynote in this sale of Undermuslins; real economy—garments as liberal in size and as careful in workmanship and materials as though made in your own sewing room, and yet very inexpensive.

The prices look pretty nearly the same every year, but at 50c, 75c, $1 or whatever price you choose, the garment is as good or even better than last year's special sale articles. A special feature of the sale is the including of two and three-piece combination garments at lowered prices. Won't you shop around before buying? We want every customer to know how really best these undermuslins are.

Embroideries One-Third Less

Home sewing to do? What woman hasn't at this time of year? Here are the very fine, dainty embroideries that you most need, at two-thirds their real worth.

Insertions, bands and edges, in Swiss and nainsook; widths between six and twenty-two inches, with some very dainty batiste embroideries, all carefully worked and shown in newest patterns, reduced a third.

Fancy Combs at Half

A woman usually prefers to select her own fancy combs. Here's a chance to choose from an unusually worthy assortment, at just half:

Values at all prices between $1.50 and $4.50 each—now 75c to $2.25. Amber and shell foundations, with mountings of filigree gold; or solid style, etched or carved in dainty designs; beauties, every one.

Rubber Goods One-Fourth Less

No necessity for any household to be without these very comforting articles for use in case of incipient illness. And of course every piece is guaranteed for service.

Hot water bottles in several sizes; ice caps, for neuralgia and headache relief; combination syringes and water bags, and fountain syringes, all of finest rubber, reduced a fourth from prices already extremely reasonable.

Less for White Goods

While your mind is still concerned with winter apparel, we've gathered together our spring lines of white wash goods, and here they are at less than you'd expect to pay, too:

35c waistings are .....25c a yard
50c waistings are .....35c a yard
75c waistings are .....50c a yard
$1 waistings are .....75c a yard
32-inch soft finish nainsook; regularly 15c, now.....12½c
36-inch soft finish nainsook; regularly 25c, now.....22½c
33-inch white Glasgow linen finish suiting; regularly 15c, now.....12½c

White Silks Reduced

Such silks as these are in demand the year round at full regular prices. At these reductions they'll be snapped up in no time by women who know values:

36-inch white Jap. Habutai; value 85c, for 65c.
27-inch white Jap. Habutai; value 75c for 60c.
23-inch white crepe de chine; value $1, for 85c.
23-inch white crepe de chine; value $1.50 for $1.25.
21-inch white satin Duchesse; value $1.25 for $1.
White Punjab silk; value $1, for 75c.

Coulters

WETHERBY KAYSER SHOE CO.
215-217 So. BROADWAY

Women's Shoes
Regular Values $5.00 to $9.00
$4

Both High Shoes and Oxfords in these specially priced shoes, broken lines or those which we intend to discontinue. They offer a variety of style and choice of material which practically ensures satisfactory selections. These shoes are our regular $5 to $9 values. Special price $4.00.

JUST Half Price For Fancy Evening Hair Ornaments

Distinctive, exclusive novelties in all the late fashionable styles. The very newest things, all at half price.

Weaver-Jackson Hair Co.
443 S. Broadway

CLOSE MARGIN PRICES
Our Overlooking Rent
Kay Traker
TWO STORES
451 S. Broadway 233 S. Spring St.

UNIQUE
Cloak and Suit House
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FREE FURNITURE

A new move and a mighty important one to furniture buyers. Come in and see how we do it.

H. ARNOLD FURNITURE CO.,
648 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

Globe-Wernicke Elastic Bookcase
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Broadway, 639-645

CUTLERY
Exclusively
OTTO STEINEN SUPPLY CO.
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We sell cutlery of every description. Cutlery sharpening and repairing.

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FIVE GENERATIONS OF GIGANTIC BIRDS
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Our art department will design the cover and make the wash drawings and pen sketches of your merchandise.

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Particulars at 601 S. Spring St. and First Street Station Los Angeles

CREAM PUFF
SELF-RAISING BISCUIT FLOUR

EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

MRS. J. J. MYLER of No. 2712 Severance street entertained last evening, with a dinner party in compliment to a number of friends.

In Honor of Miss Phillips.

Mrs. Randall Hutchinson of No. 2217 Menlo avenue will entertain Saturday afternoon with a musical in compliment to her house guest, Miss Mary Phillips. Mrs. Hutchinson will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. John H. Quinton, Miss Jessie Antho..., Mrs. Jesse Waterman, Mrs. Herbert Langmuir and others. The house will be decorated with Christmas colors.

Engagement Announcement.

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Flossie Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen of Jefferson street, to Ervin Dingle of the Horticultural Commission, is of interest to a number of friends, both in this city and in the north. The ceremony will be solemnized this month.

To Entertain.

Members of the Tau Zeta Pi sorority will entertain this evening with an informal affair at the home of Miss Grace Holcombe of No. 1119 Grand View avenue. The home will be attractively decorated in red and green. About forty invitations have been issued.

Whist Club.

Members of the South Pasadena Whist Club were entertained recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Kuenzer, No. 1125 Fair Oaks avenue. Asparagus ferns and red carnations were used in decorating. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Wachtel, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Helms, Mr. and Mrs. John Schenk, Mr. and Mrs. Shoebotham, Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Sebree, Misses Bertha More, Florence Gifford, Florence Porter, Helen Boice, Anderson, Bess Filbert; Dr. Avery, Messrs. Harry Gifford, Frank Haines, Willis Blood, Edgar Helms, Walter Kuencer and Mode.

Mrs. P. Barre,
a popular young bride, who will receive her friends after January 8 at her beautiful new home on Western avenue.

Miss Flossie Allen,
whose wedding will be solemnized this month.

Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Miss Florence Peebles New Year's Eve by a number of friends. Games and music were enjoyed, and pretty prizes awarded. At supper covers were laid for Miss Flora Hartman, Miss Nellie Quirin, Miss Stella Leslie, Miss Edna Sipe, Miss Eva Mae Derren, Miss Leota Derren, Miss Florence Peebles, Howard Hyatt, Walter McLeod, George Haddix, David Quirin, George Watson, Joseph Vetter and Earl Peebles.

Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sohn of No. 1220 East Fifteenth street entertained one day this week with a reception in celebration of the second anniversary of their marriage.

Luncheon.

Mrs. W. W. Reed of No. 921 Denver avenue entertained Tuesday with the first of a series of luncheons she is to give this winter. Guests present were Mrs. Ellen A. Salisbury, Mrs. J. D. Robinsten, Mrs. C. E. Bennett, Mrs. W. C. Ormishorn, Mrs. C. A. Minter and Miss Metta C. Gould.

Leap Year Party.

A charming leap year party was given by the Tau Sigma Delta members, who entertained with a theater party recently. After the theater a delightful supper was served at Christopher's, the sorority colors being carried out in the table decorations. Those present were: Mrs. J. Clements, who acted as chaperon; Misses Louise Creager, Marie Haswell, Florence James, Velma Clements, Georgia Lambourn, Lupe Lamphor, Edla Swanfeldt, Messrs. Bell, Crawley, Rogers, J. Swanfeldt, W. Swanfeldt and Charlton.

SAYS DIRE WARNINGS ARE NOT BORNE OUT,

Monrovia Girl Training Chinese.
Mrs. Frank Chew, formerly Miss Emma Culver, and her husband, and part of one of their classes in Hongkong.

Emma Culver, the little Monrovia girl who married a deported Chinese—her pupil—and went back to China with him, has sent to this city for other American girls.

She wants them to go to Hongkong and help her with her classes. With her husband, Frank Chew, she has established an English school which is attended by the sons of well-to-do, educated Chinese gentlemen. The Chews have prospered beyond their wildest dreams.

Mrs. Chew writes to her friends here that all the dire warnings poured into her ears before her marriage have not been borne out; that she is as happy as any woman could possibly be.

Her Chinese pupils, like nearly all of their wonderful race, are extremely clever and quick to learn.

The Chinese in the photograph are only half of one of her classes. Her school has grown so that she says she and her husband are unable to take all the pupils who wish to enter. Every family in Hongkong seems anxious to have its children learn English, and the pupils themselves study the language eagerly.

So far only one woman in Los Angeles has seriously considered Mrs. Chew's offer of a position in the school among the orientals.

WOMAN SEEKS DEATH.

Discouraged Because of Husband's Failure to Secure Work, Wife Attempts Suicide.

Because she was very, very hungry and there was nothing to eat in the house, and because, day after day, she had seen her husband trudge wearily away in search of work and always return disheartened and empty-handed, Mrs. W. S. Stocks of No. 1045 South Hill street, yesterday tried to put herself out of misery by attempting suicide.

Mr. and Mrs. Stocks arrived in Los Angeles three months ago from New York. Stocks had held a good position in the East until his health failed. His wife determined to aid him in his search for health in a warmer climate. They came to Los Angeles with a little less than $300.

They searched for work, Mrs. Stocks eager to assist her husband. But they arrived here at a time when the flurry had caused a lull in the demand for help. They tramped the streets day and night, searching for work, but could find none. They tried every way imaginable to save their capital, but it slowly dwindled until they had reached the end of their resources. They had either pawned or sold everything they had.

Their Christmas was a sad one; their New Year's Day a desperate one. Yesterday Mrs. Stocks was too ill to leave the house in search of work.

Her husband trudged wearily away. Then it was that the woman locked herself in the room and placed the tube of a reading-lamp in her mouth. She turned on the gas and got into bed.

The landlady was attracted to the room by the odor of gas, and broke down the door. The surgeons at the Receiving Hospital gave immediate attention, and saved the woman's life. Stocks was sent to the Associated Charities, where he will receive aid.

A dynamite bomb, believed to have been set off by members of the Black Hand Society, wrecked the entire lower floor of a five-story tenement house on East Eleventh street, New York, Wednesday night, and caused a panic among the occupants of the building. One man was injured by the explosion.

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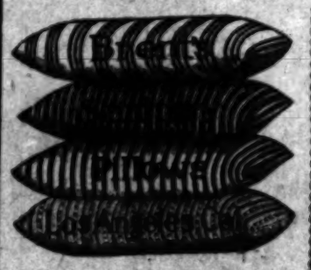

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"That's all right," said Jack, ligh... ly, but affectionately, as, arm in arm ... he and his mamma went to the morn... ing room to drink their tea together.

"Will you be back to dinner?" aske... Lady Vincent, when, after a long sil... ing over the tea cups, Jack was about ... to go downtown.

"No, I'm afraid not tonight. I'm ... dining out."

"Will you be late?"

"Well, I'm afraid I shan't be very ... early."

Lady Vincent would not ask where ... her boy intended to dine. Instinct told ... her that he was bound for the White ... Hart and the Masons, but she did not ... wish to spoil her happy afternoon by ... being quite sure about it.

It was in the course of this evening ... that Sir John looked up suddenly from ... his Pall Mall Gazette, and uttered ... many ejaculations of surprise.

"Good gracious. Upon my word! ... Only speaking of her today—eranki... doors—and she was gone even then. ... Died suddenly—at noon."

"Oh, John, you don't say so! Oh, ... poor old dear."

"Not unnaturally, Lady Vincent ... thought he was speaking of poor ... cousin Harriet. But it was the other ... smoking dowr, Lady Haddingham, ... owner of Hill Rise, was no more.

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"There! You see if this doesn't like whisky and soda. You see if it dies of it. You see—after its innocent pick-me-up, it'll be a-growing and a-blowing as it never did before. . . . Now perhaps you'll give me a cup of tea as a reward of virtue."

"Oh, Jack, you have made me so angry."

"That's all right," said Jack, lightly but affectionately, as, arm in arm, he and his mamma went to the morning room to drink their tea together. "Will you be back to dinner?" asked Lady Vincent, when, after a long sitting over the tea cups, Jack was about to go downtown.

"No, I'm afraid not tonight. I'm going out."

"Will you be late?"

"Well, I'm afraid I shan't be very early."

Lady Vincent would not ask where the boy intended to dine. Instinct told her that he was bound for the White Hart and the Masons, but she did not wish to spoil her happy afternoon by being quite sure about it.

It was in the course of this evening that Sir John looked up suddenly from the Pall Mall Gazette, and uttered many ejaculations of surprise.

"Good gracious. Upon my word, I was speaking of her today—creaking—and she was gone even then. So suddenly—at noon."

"Oh, John, you don't say so! Oh, my old dear."

Quite unnaturally, Lady Vincent felt that he was speaking of poor Cousin Harriet. But it was the other old dear, Lady Haddingham, of Hill Rise, was no more.

"A regret," read Sir John, "to learn of the death of the Dowager Countess of Haddingham. . . ." etc., etc., etc.

"I wonder," said Sir John, musingly, when he had recited the short biographical notice; "I wonder if it will make any difference to our neighbors. I shouldn't think so. I suppose it all goes to Haddingham—and he wouldn't do anything shabby—like bumping up the rents. Mr. A. and Firmins will see that everybody gets fair play. . . . No, I don't see that it can affect our friends. But it affects me to this extent. I really think I shall have to go to Burroughclere for the funeral—last mark of respect. I think they'll look for me there—don't you?"

CHAPTER VI.

Jack Vincent wanted his tenner because he thought the time had come when it would be well to give Jessie Barter a jeweled bangle.

He had given many bangles to young ladies. If he and a young lady had paid attentions to each other, he always presented a bangle as a parting gift—as a trifling souvenir of kind thoughts, confidential chat, and whispered endearments. A point was reached in all these little friendships when weariness overtook him; and then he gave the bangle. He never explained the inward secret sense of the glittering toy. Young ladies thus decorated often thought that the bangle meant a tightening of the pleasant bond, when in fact it was a severance. Miss Daisy Dolfin, of "The Merry Girls" Touring Company, would glance sentimentally at her wrist, and tell dressing-room companions about Jack. "That was given me by such a nice boy. Oh, he was a nice boy—but I lost sight of 'm."

Well, then, Jack thought that Jessie, the White Hart junior barmaid, had earned her bangle, and that for his own comfort the sooner he let her have it the better. With Sir John's check in his pocket he examined bangles at Osborn's jewelry shop, and then strolled on to the saloon bar for the purpose of cautiously sounding Jessie as to which colored stones she most fancied. He had seen gold chains studded with turquoises, with opals, and with garnets; and he did not know which to choose.

Jessie was extraordinarily quick in detecting what he was about when he began to sound her. But she made Jack wish that he had completed the transaction without advice or assistance. She startled and embarrassed him by the business-like way in which she took up the matter.

"Dear old Jack. You do feel you owe me something, then?"

"Of course I do."

He had the check in his breast pocket, and he felt he owed her quite ten pounds.

"Then you make it all the easier for me to say. I did hint at it—didn't I? Only I was that shy I couldn't get it out."

"You needn't be shy with me," said Jack, with an embarrassed smile.

"Then, Jack, for heaven's sake don't go and buy some lovely, costly thing which I might never have the chance of wearing—to show it off properly, but give me the money instead."

"Oh! The money instead!"

"Yes. I do want it so bad—and it'll come in the nick of time. At this minnit a hundred and fifty would be the making of me."

"My dear Jessie!" His hand had gone toward his breast pocket, but now he drew it back. "Jessie—you take my breath away . . . I'm afraid, I—I really am afraid——"

"I suppose you meant to tick it, Jack—and not pay ready. But can't you manage it? I want it that bad—and you're the only person I can turn to——"

"My dear Jessie! One-fifty! Frankly—you have opened your pretty mouth so much wider than I expected——"

"But you couldn't get what you've described for much less."

"Couldn't I? That's all you know."

"A hundred? Jack, did you mean to give a hundred?"

"No, my dear Jessie, I'll be hanged if I did."

"Fifty?"

"No, not half fifty."

Then squeezing the lemon-squasher and leaning forward across the bar, Jessie urgently begged for financial support. She and a friend desired to start a shop.

"What shop?"

"The dressmaking. Jack, I'm sick of this work. It don't suit me and I don't suit it. Certain sure there'll be an unpleasantness with Emily. She has a down on me, and sooner or later will get me bundled out. Do, do be a dear and help me. If you haven't got it, you know it is but to ask Sir John."

"On my honor," said Jack, "I could no more bite my Gov'nor's ear for a hundred and fifty than I could fly."

[To Be Continued Tomorrow.]

NONOGENARIAN DIES.

Was Born in Scotland During Reign of George III and Lived Here Five Years.

Samuel McClure, aged 91 years, passed away at the residence of his grandchild, Mrs. Grace Kellar, No. 1907 Alessandro street, yesterday morning. His life began in the early years of the nineteenth century, and he lived to see the stirring events which opened the present era. He was never seriously sick a day until stricken with heart failure a week before death.

The nonogenarian was born in Scotland in 1816, in the reign of King George III. He lived under three sovereigns in the old country, and was married while Queen Victoria was on the throne. Two sons and two daughters were born to him in Scotland, but they and his wife preceded him in death. Two grandchildren remain, and it was with one of them, Mrs. Kellar, that he dwelt during his five years' residence in this city. The other grandchild is Mrs. Edward E. Wycoff of No. 2218 Kingsley street.

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RECORD SMASHING SALE
The First "Something Doing" Day of the New Year
"Something Doing" day at the Fifth Street Store Friday. "Something Doing" every day, in fact, but Friday is the day of days for bargains. Short lines, broken assortments, remnants, odd lots, all reduced to good-by prices to hurry them out.
We're going to smash all previous records, and Friday will see the sales mount higher and higher—prices lower and lower, that's why.

60c Wool Ingrain Stair Carpets 39c
Heavy wool ingrain stair carpets; many handsome new patterns; regular 60c quality, on sale Friday at 39c yard. 22½ inches wide.

HALF PRICE FOR REMNANTS
Great bargain time in our wash goods section Friday, all remnants of flannelette, outing flannel, calicoes, organdies, percales, gingham, white goods, madras, suiting and elderdowns; good serviceable lengths; all on sale at just half the regular price.

Table Linen Remnants 1-4 to 1-3 Off
Bleached and unbleached table damask; lengths 1¼ to 3 yards; priced Friday at one-quarter to one-third less than the regular price.

25c India Linon at 12½c
Pure white India linon; smooth sheer make for women's waists and dresses; 25c quality at 12½c.

$1.25 Double Bed Spreads 98c
Large size double bed spreads; crochet goods; very attractive designs; durable quality; $1.25 value at 98c.

Prices Smashed in Shoes
Women's $2.50 Shoes and Oxfords $1.19
Extraordinary shoe offering Friday. Made of real kid with light and heavy soles, common sense and Cuban heels; many different styles and shapes; a "Something Doing" price, $2 and $2.50 shoes and oxfords at $1.19.

Short Lines Slippers $2 AND $2.50 VALUES AT $1.20
Men's slippers in tan and black kid; also seal and alligator leathers; turned soles; some kid lined; opera, Romeo and Everett styles; $2 and $2.50 slippers at $1.20.

$1.50 Felt Juliets . . . 79c
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Sample pairs of large 10-4 and 11-4 white wool blankets, somewhat soiled from being used as samples; worth regular $4. On sale Friday at $2.48.

$1.50 11-4 Blankets 8 to 10, Each 49c
Large white cotton blankets in white, tan and gray; fancy borders; long fleecy nap; $1.50 blankets at 49c each; 8 to 10.

$2.00 Silkoline Comforts $1.48
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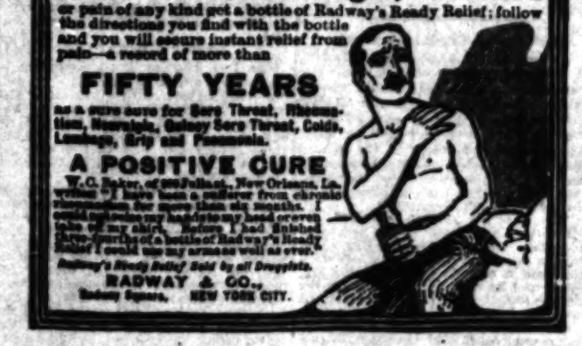

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GOOD BEHAVIOR.

POLICE PROUD ABOUT CROWD.

ABSENCE OF ARRESTS NOTED FOR THE TOURNAMENT.

Much Office Work Was Done in Advance to Make Effective the Work of the Patrolmen in Pasadena—Burros Brought Down from Mountains Have Time of Lives.

Office of The Times, 376 E. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Jan. 2.—Proud is the police department of this city of its record on Tournament day, and it is also extremely grateful to the Los Angeles corps of fifty fine and efficient officers and men who aided in making a perfect day of the great event of the year.

Chief Howard H. Pavour worked quietly for days before. He had detailed maps made of every street where the parade would traverse. So painstaking was he and his assistant, Sergt. Pierce, that every pole, post and obstruction on the streets was detailed on large maps, and the whole force was thoroughly instructed in its duties. When the Los Angeles men came to the station, the Chief was prepared to give them all the information they desired, and a detailed plan of campaign, which made the work easy. Sergt. Pierce is the clerical chief of the office, with the assistance of veteran Sergt. Bristol as desk man. Not a little credit of the splendid showing is due to the office work performed before the great day dawned. Sergts. Loomley and Reynolds on the street were prepared to carry out any detail of the big plan to handle more than 100,000 sightseers without friction, and better than all, without a single arrest. Probably never before has such an occasion passed without bringing to the cells a riff raff of rascals, great and small. When it is considered that this parade started more than three miles from the park, and wound in and out, actually making a figure 8 in the congested business district, those who know anything about police work will be amazed that not a single pickpocket attempted to operate his light-fingered craft.

Was this careful mapping of the route, knowing just where every point of vantage was and the discrimination used in placing his good men, that made this record possible. Chief Pavour gives all due credit to Lieut. Lyon and his men from Los Angeles, but the fact remains that the plan of operations was excellent and above praise. Of course there are kickers, but the fact remains that the crowd was controlled without making a single arrest for disorder and the criminal class, well versed in reading the signs of the times, did not dare to risk a single demonstration.

High praise is also given to Special Policeman Charles Green. Chief Pavour had him mounted and placed on the back stretch of the track at the tournament. In half a dozen runaways of the mettlesome horses drawing the chariots, Green captured them five times and only failed at the sixth attempt because his good steed had become weary and jaded by the hard day's work. In this case a cowboy finally got the runaways, but Green several times before handled the same horses when they were fresh and always stopped them within fifty feet of the spot where he grabbed their bridles. This is the record of a good day's work. The local force tendered the visiting men a buffet lunch, which was on tap throughout the day.

NOW THE NEW PARK.

When the members of the tournament Association sit down tonight at the Hotel Raymond to their annual banquet, it is expected that the principal theme will be the creation of the new park for the great annual event of Pasadena. The plan to build a new permanent grand stand, which will be permanent, and a handsome monument to the administration of George W. Cary, president of the association, and whose term of office will end when the accounts of this tournament are audited and allowed. With his secretary, Willis Johnson, he has outlined a plan to build the new grand stand, to enlarge the track to a regulation half mile and to make the "infield," one great parterre of roses, where a specimen of every variety of the queen of the flowery kingdom will reign forever in perpetual glory. When this park is created it will be one of the beauties of this lovely city, which will long be unrivaled through the world.

BURROS MAKE MERRY.

One of the features of the tournament parade was the burro train sent down from Mt. Wilson and which took first prize in the novelty class. These burros have been bred in the wilds of the Sierra Nevada Mountains and are wise old mountaineers, but they are a little off on city manners. Yesterday when Foster Houston was driving them out of the city they played many pranks. They are afraid of automobiles, but one of them saw a green veil hanging out of a car and strategicly approached and before the driver saw him had quietly munched off about a yard of texture. When they were herded across the Santa Fé tracks there was another mix up. These burros did not like the trains. One of them was passing and the expert driver had the time of his life. This was not all. These burros did not all feed on green silk veils. Whenever the herd found a garden gate open or a wide free expanse of lawn that was their happy camping ground. Into it they flocked and while Houston was driving one lot out of a choice piece of pasture others would discover another. Geraniums, roses, delicate shrubs were meat for them. The more tender and succulent the better. But in the parade with the old belle mare in front of them the burros were models of good discipline. This was one of the features of the parade and the Mt. Wilson Hotel Company feels proud of its exhibit.

PASADENA NEWS NOTES.

Members of the North Lincoln-avenue Improvement Association will meet next Saturday evening at the reading-rooms on Dakota and North Lincoln avenue to consider plans to raise the amount necessary to secure an extension of the Huntington electric lines into that section.

Prof. E. S. Du Poncet, A.B., A.M., and Ph. D., will take charge of the department of languages at Throop Polytechnic Institute in succession to Prof. Paul Bochncke who wishes to resign on account of illness.

DEBUTANTE DANCE.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jerome Eddy of East California street, entertained last evening with a large dancing party which was complimentary to their son, Jerome Eddy, who is home from the Thatcher School, spending the holidays. The invitation list included 100 of the debutante set and a few of the younger society people, the company being almost exclusively made up of collegians and girls, or these recently launched into society. The great living-room was transformed into a ballroom and was beautifully decorated. Christmas green formed a pretty background for tall white lilies arranged in stately vases, and these proved an exquisite foil for the brilliant red of hundreds of poinsettias. The ballroom was illuminated with many candles as well as electricity, which was subdued to rose-red by deep red shades. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy received their guests with their son in the reception-room, and the entire evening was devoted to dancing, although card tables were provided for those who cared for a rubber at bridge. Music was furnished by a stringed orchestra, and in an interval in the dancing an elaborate collation was served.

The English Classical School for Girls, 130-134 S. Euclid avenue, reopens for winter term January 2. For catalogues apply to Miss Orton, principal.

Lost. Necklace and cross, set with diamond; reward. Notify City Market.

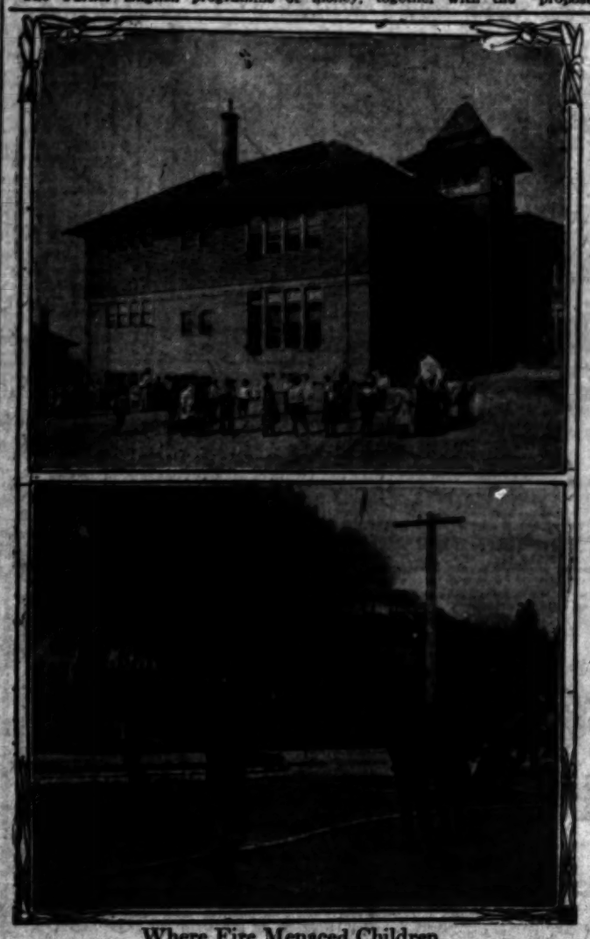
The Turner English programme of songs and stories for children will be given this afternoon at the Shakespeare Club House, at 2 o'clock. Tickets, 25c. Jarvis & Pring or clubhouse.

Masonic notice. Members of Pasadena Lodge, No. 272, F. and A. M., will assemble today at 1 o'clock to attend the funeral of our late brother, Hinman Rhodes. J. Herbert Hall, Master.

Massage, Swedish movements, at residence. Miss Sigrid Ruth, Home 778.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

Artists' materials at Wadsworth's.



Where Fire Menaced Children.

Washington School in Santa Monica, as seen at the time of yesterday's fire and before. When the alarm was sounded the classes were in session. The pupils marched out in perfect order as if for a regular fire drill.

TRUE TO DISCIPLINE.

COOL AND CALM AS FIRE RAGES.

ORDERLY IS ESCAPE OF SANTA MONICA CHILDREN.

They March from the Burning Building With All the Precision Shown at Fire Drill—Two Volunteers Are Injured and Condition of One Is Critical.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 2.—Fire this morning destroyed the Washington public school building at the corner of South Fourth street and Ashland avenue. The two-story frame structure was erected six years ago at a cost of $15,000. Considerable of the furniture in the lower floor rooms was saved. There was an insurance of $11,000 on the building, $2000 on the piano and furniture. The old school building near by was saved, although it suffered somewhat. It stood as a barrier to the spread of the fire to the west and its presence is responsible for the saving of a number of cottages. It was insured for $500.

"FIREPROOF" COVER FAILS.

The fire was discovered just before 10 o'clock. The janitor, A. N. Archer, who is a pioneer member of the Santa Monica fire department, was at work in the basement at the time. The building was heated by hot air, which was conveyed through shafts from coal-burning furnaces in the basement to the several rooms. Archer says he was hunting for the origin of the strong smell of smoke when the boxing surrounding the hot air shafts burst into flame. The air current swept the fire to the second floor and the flames so quickly took hold that to fight them with any degree of success was impossible. Mr. Archer says fire started at the same place once before, but was conquered before real damage was done. After that scare the shafts were encased in asbestos, but in the opinion of the janitor there must have been some flaw in the "fireproof" covering.

ORDERLY MARCH OUT.

There were 400 children in the building when the fire was discovered, but at no time was there any condition approaching a panic. The principal, Miss Elizabeth Hamlin, lost no time in notifying all the teachers that the building was on fire, and without even taking time to put into practice the oft-repeated fire drill the pupils were lined up and marched in orderly manner out of the building. Mr. Archer says there was no time for fire drill.

In sixty minutes all that remained of the large building was a smouldering ruin. Santa Monica's two fire companies were quick in reaching the scene and were aided by the Ocean Park company from Venice; but as the building stood high on the hill there was an inadequate water pressure, and the best the firemen could do was to prevent the blaze spreading to cottages close by. These were all saved, although several caught alight on numerous occasions. Many of the tenants moved their belongings into the street and one of the little cottages was partially wrecked when the wind came up. At that time it was thought the fire might spread down the hill and sweep away everything to the ocean. The furniture saved from the burning schoolhouse is in bad condition.

RESUME SCHOOL AT ONCE.

The Board of Education has arranged for the teachers and pupils from the burned building to use rooms in the new schoolhouses on Sixth, Seventh and Michigan avenues. The taxpayers will be asked to vote bonds for a brick building to replace the one destroyed. The new building will be larger than the old, as the insurance money, together with the proposed bond issue, will provide ample funds.

ACCIDENTS TO FIRE FIGHTERS.

In the early stage of the fire there was some excitement when a fireman who had gained the roof of the blazing building, had his retreat by way of the stairway, cut off; his rescue was accomplished by means of an extension ladder.

W. C. Sharp, a former circus rider, while working with the Venice fire fighters, was struck by a falling timber and had his ear badly burned. In seeking a place of safety, he stepped on a nail which ran through one foot and caused him to stumble. In falling he ran a nail through one hand. Jack Harris, a circus clown, who also worked with the Ocean Park department, was overcome by heat and heart failure, was picked up in an unconscious state and conveyed to the hospital. His condition is critical.

NOT GUILTY.

JURY IN WINE CASE ACQUITS.

PROSECUTION FAILS IN LIQUOR FUSS IN HOLLYWOOD.

Defendant Who Caused Claret to Be Served to Members of Highway Commission at Hotel in the Foothill City Is Adjudged Innocent of Violation of the Ordinance.

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 2.—Philo J. Beveridge was acquitted this afternoon in the much talked of wine case of the city of Hollywood against Mr. Beveridge in which the latter was accused of serving claret at a dinner given the evening of November 1 at Hotel Hollywood in honor of the members of the Highway Commission. The jury was out about fifteen minutes.

When the result of its deliberations was read by Justice Herndon the large gathering present, comprising mostly friends of the defendant, broke into ringing cheers. The case was opened this morning by City Attorney Young's statement to the jury embodying the facts that a dinner was held at Hotel Hollywood the evening of November 1 by the Board of Trade of Hollywood, to which were invited the members of the Highway Commission and City Trustees. The arrangement for the dinner was confided by the directors of the Board of Trade to the defendant in the case and the dinner was held in an alcove adjoining the hotel dining-room at the usual dinner hour. At this dinner wine was served, of which fact the Board of Trade was not aware until its appearance on the table.

City Attorney Young, for the city of Hollywood attempted to show that Philo J. Beveridge served this wine in direct violation of one of the ordinances of the city. The verdict shows that he failed. The first witness in the case was C. J. Wade, president of the Board of Trade, who attended the dinner, looked on the wine and drank it. He thought there were three or four bottles, not enough to hurt anybody. On cross-examination he told of the object of the dinner, which followed an automobile jaunt around the city and suburbs; an excursion to interest the highway commission in Hollywood.

This testimony being objected to by Attorney Young, Attorney Stephens, appearing with Attorney McElmore for the defense, stated that they wanted to show that this ride and dinner was a public movement and the defendant was acting for the public good, not wilfully breaking a law as charged. Mr. Young responded that he didn't for a moment intend to impugn the motive of the Board of Trade, that he believed it did its best to advance the interests of Hollywood, but that when all was said, the thing to decide was what the people of Hollywood wanted as stated in their organic capacity, and that no man had the right to give a wine dinner for the purpose of advancing the good of the people of Hollywood when these people had decided they didn't want it served. The objection was overruled.

A. E. Merrill, member of the Board of Trade had attended the dinner but didn't know who served it nor anything much about the matter being newly elected to the board.

G. T. Gower, one of the complainants who has been quoted oftener than any one else in connection with the case, was present at the dinner but did not taste the wine, although he saw it recognized it as wine and sent a protest about its service to the Board of Trade. He had anticipated that the dinner would be the ordinary hotel menu, as the board had given Mr. Beveridge no authority to serve wine.

Told of discussion at board meeting as to who should pay for the dinner and Mr. Beveridge's statement that he had furnished the wine and paid for it, Mr. Gower) had made no protest at the time of the dinner.

George H. Dunlop, chairman of the City Trustees, and around whom much of the interest of the case centered on account of his former friendly relations with the defendant, followed Mr. Gower to the stand. Mr. Dunlop was at the dinner and occupied a seat next to Mr. Beveridge. He was not aware who was responsible for the dinner, but noticed the wine glasses before the wine was served. Had tasted the wine, thinking he might be mistaken, and that it was fruit punch. Had wondered what he should do, as he felt a disinclination to make a scene before the strange guests present. Met the defendant the next morning on the street, and after a talk on business matters informed Mr. Beveridge that he was in trouble with the Board of Trade on account of the service of wine the night before, as some citizens were going to make trouble. He did not know then that Mr. Beveridge was responsible, but went to him because he felt he could go to him easier than to any other member of the board. Mr. Beveridge had assured him that he alone was responsible for the wine, and Mr. Dunlop had urged that whoever was to blame go to Justice Herndon, plead guilty and pay a fine and close the affair in that way. Mr. Beveridge had laughed about the matter, and later Mr. Dunlop had asked him if he had thought the matter over. Mr. Beveridge said that Mr. Dunlop's motives were not what he claimed, but that he was trying to pose before the people. On cross-examination he said he had had no thought of prosecution when drinking the wine, had simply satisfied his own curiosity on the subject.

H. C. Draves, City Trustee, had also attended the dinner, and drank wine. Pronounced it claret. Had also drunk out of curiosity and thought if it were fruit punch it was pretty good stuff. When the second glass had proved it to be wine beyond a doubt, had not taken any more.

Stanley Anderson, manager of Hotel Hollywood, was not allowed by his attorney to answer questions bearing on the service of wine at this time, as his own trial in regard to the same dinner is an event of the near future. Said he knew who ordered the wine.

George Lashley, City Trustee, attended the dinner, and drank two glasses of wine. Didn't notice any one else partake of it. Didn't sign complaint.

E. C. Hampton and M. C. Nason, of the Board of Trade, testified to having attended the dinner, and court adjourned to 1:30 p.m., when the jury was addressed by the attorneys.

Attorney Young gave a history of the case, and said that it would seem that all one had to do was to entrap the city officials as guests in order to break any ordinance. Attorney Stephens in reply rehearsed the benefits Hollywood had reaped from the generosity of Mr. Beveridge and his wife, and said that the former had been guilty of no crime, as proven by the evidence, and that the ordinance in question was not a reasonable one, and under the Constitution of the United States was absolutely void. He offered a great array of law books and quoted extracts from the Bible to prove that the service of a limited quantity of wine is allowed by the scriptures.

Attorney McElmore took the jury in hand at this point, and extracted more or less humor out of the testimony of Mr. Dunlop and Mr. Gower.

Attorney Young closed with a plain statement of the law, and the case was turned over to the jury by Justice Herndon, with the charge to the Marshal that they be allowed nothing but water. They were out just fifteen minutes.

J. M. Machado, who, for eight years, has been an officer at San Quentin, was called to Hollywood by the sickness of his father, December 17, 1907, returned this morning to San Quentin to resume his duties.

The Age of Discretion.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon and a friend were one day discussing the wild doings of a young Chicago man with whom both were well acquainted.

Mr. Cannon's friend was inclined to be very severe in criticism of the sower of wild oats, but "Uncle Joe" had more to say of his good than his bad qualities, remarking that at heart the boy was "all right." He thought it would be well to reserve judgment and give the lad a chance until he reached the age of discretion.

"At just what period would you place the attainment of discretion?" asked the friend, quickly.

"Generally speaking," added "Uncle Joe," "I should say that a young fellow has reached the age of discretion when he removes from his walls the pictures of actresses and substitutes therefor a portrait of his wealthy bachelor uncle."—[December Lippincott's.

Jeff Davis, Crude Aristocrat.

A story is going about the Capitol at Washington that Jeff Davis, the Senator from Arkansas, when shown to his committee room in the Capitol sullenly looked it over and asked if that was the best they had to offer. He was shown his seat on the Senate floor and objected loudly because it was on the back row. When informed that this was the best he could get in the odd line, he demanded:

"Where is my private gallery?"

This was a stumper to the sergeant-at-arms. The new Senator from Arkansas seemed to think that every Senator had a private gallery at his disposal, and he took with poor grace the explanation that there was no such institution as a private gallery for Senators. Having been given a seat the Arkansan descended to the Senate restaurant, where he kicked on the food and kicked on the service.

The receivers for the New York City Railway Company yesterday defaulted on the payment of the quarterly dividends due January 1 on the capital stock in the subsidiary companies, due as rentals for the lines leased. Under the terms of the leases, the stockholders cannot take any action legally for a month after default.

ON FIRM FOUNDATION.

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ters long occupied at Second and Spring streets, and moved into the G. W. Hellman building, at Fourth and Spring, has a capital of $500,000, a surplus account of $132,620.21, and deposits totaling $3,422,962.24. It pays dividends at the rate of 6 per cent., and is disbursing $15,000 to stockholders.

The Citizens' National Bank is another strong institution, with a capital of $200,000. Deposits reach $2,119,177.07. The surplus account, with profits, adds $416,309.70 to its resources. Dividends are at the rate of 5 per cent., the disbursement of $15,000 having begun Thursday.

The Merchants' National is one of the smallest in point of capitalization, having $200,000 capital. It does a large business, however, having deposits of $3,441,138.74 at the end of the old year. A surplus account amounted to $468,-311.96. Dividends of $32,000 a year are paid, in quarterly installments of $8000.

The United States National Bank has $200,000 capitalization. It has deposits of $638,096.23. The dividend rate is 6 per cent. The surplus and profit account amounted to $64,031.42 at the end of 1907.

The Central National Bank is the youngest national institution in the city, having been in operation since August of last year. The capital is $300,000. Deposits totaled $1,627,171.07 at the end of the year. Surplus amounted to $301,442.70. A dividend of $25,000 was declared, payable in semi-annual installments of $12,500.

The National Bank of Commerce is another hardy institution. It has a capital of $200,000, a surplus and profit fund of $25,341.64, and deposits totaling $323,010.22. As yet no dividends have been declared.

The Commercial National Bank has a capitalization of $200,000. Its deposits are $1,084,870.17, and its surplus fund $40,000. Dividends of $12,000 are declared yearly, the bank paying $6000 to stockholders at the present time.

UNDER STATE CHARTERS.

The Broadway Bank and Trust Company is one of the foremost of the commercial banks operating under State charters. It has a capital of a quarter of a million, and deposits total $1,389,927.59. The sum of $192,266.99 represents this bank's surplus and profit account. Quarterly dividends at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum are paid, a disbursement of $2500 having been made early in December.

The Bank of Southern California is another strong State bank, with a capital of $500,000. Deposits totaled $443,-176.71, and the surplus account $30,683.27. The bank has not declared a dividend to date.

The Metropolitan Bank and Trust Company is another concern doing a general bank business under State charter. This is owned by the First National Bank. Its capital is $250,000, and deposits are $941,534. The dividends are passed to the profits account, and come out as dividends of the national institution.

A new State commercial bank was added to the list lately in the reorganization of the Fraternal Saving and Loan into the Miners' and Merchants', with a capital of $100,000. It occupies a large room at Sixth and Main streets and is growing, with deposits totaling $187,518.76.

Several smaller banks are included in this class, notably the Federal, with $25,000 capital and deposits of $215,449. Dividends are small; the Main Street Bank, with $95,207.12 in deposits and a capitalization of $20,000; no dividends are declared. The Japanese-American is one of the State institutions catering to the trade of Japanese in Southern California. It has deposits of $291,936.52 and a capital of $200,000. Dividends of 7 per cent. per annum are paid. The Market and Produce is another strong and growing State institution, with a capital of $50,000 and deposits of $163,024.

SAVINGS INSTITUTIONS.

The Security Savings Bank is the largest single institution in the Southwest, with deposits totaling $22,347,-129.20 and a capital of $5,000. It pays $347,000 to depositors in interest, having an army of 45,000 with whom it does business. Recently it consolidated with the Southern California Savings Bank, and moved into handsome quarters at Fifth and Spring streets. A dividend of 15 per cent. on its capital stock is paid to stockholders, $127,500 being paid annually in installments of $63,750 semi-annually.

The German-American Savings Bank is the second largest bank with a charter of this kind. It has a capital of $200,000 and deposits of $3,389,-672.92. Interest is being paid to depositors and a dividend of $120,000 is paid annually to stockholders. The bank soon will move into the quarters at the southeast corner of Fourth and Spring streets formerly occupied by the Southern California Savings Bank.

The Equitable Savings Bank is another well-founded institution. With a capital of only $50,000, its deposit totals $1,133,909, and the surplus and undivided profit account is $43,530. No dividends are declared, as the stock is held closely and all the earnings are passed to the profit account.

The California Saving Bank has $180,-000 in capital stock and $312,320 in deposits. There is a surplus account of $18,196. No dividends have been declared. The American Savings Bank has a total of 1,545,000 on deposit, a capital of $250,000, and a surplus account of $89,000. Dividends of $12,500 are declared annually.

The Home Savings Bank has two branches, and a capital of $200,000. Deposits total $679,490, and there is a surplus account of $13,000. The dividend amounts to $12,000 annually.

The International Savings Bank has just been at considerable expense in erecting its handsome ten-story fireproof building at Temple and North Spring streets, and recently took possession of the quarters. Its paid-up capital is $145,000, and deposits amount to $514,527. The earnings are carried to undivided profits.

At Fifth and Hill streets, the Dollar Savings Bank occupies handsome quarters and does a large business. The capital is $100,000. Deposits total $892,-921.69 and the surplus fund amounts to $37,456. An $8000 dividend is paid annually. Several other thriving savings banks are doing a good business in the city.

TRUST COMPANIES.

The Los Angeles Trust Company is one of the oldest in the city. It was organized in 1902, with a capital of $1,-000,000. Its deposits at the end of December amounted to $3,504,335, and its surplus and profit fund was $338,963. Its earnings are paid in the form of dividends to stockholders in the First National Bank.

The Southern Trust Company, which has been in operation a little more than a year, with handsome quarters adjoining the Farmers' and Merchants' National on Fourth street, has a capitalization of $2,000,000, half of which is paid up. It has prospered, having deposits of $2,100,000. A dividend, its first, has been declared at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, and $30,000 will be disbursed to stockholders within the week.

The Merchants' Trust Company is another healthy institution in the same class. It has a capitalization of $500,-000. Deposits total $627,272, and the surplus and profit fund to $34,987. It has paid one annual dividend.

The Columbia Trust Company has a capital of $100,000, paid up. Deposits amounted to $161,964 at the close of business last Tuesday. A surplus account of $25,000 is reported. No dividends have been declared.

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tor. It makes his two sons, Julian and
Ralph, as executors, to act without
bonds, the estate to be equally divided.
After all debts are paid, between the
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ment concludes thus:

"I want to be buried by the lodge,
F. & A.M., of Ventura, of which I am
a charter member. I don't want to
have any luxury about my funeral.
Spend as little as you positively need.
A $30 coffin to put in the ground is as
good as a $300 one. I want to be laid
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"If I could have talked dago, cholo, Indian or Chinese, I'd have had the victory," explained Hecht, still not realizing the cause of his trouble. "When I got carriages out, the Wixom workers would meet each one, cackle something in dago, if the occupant happened to be an Italian, or jabber in cholo, if a son of Mexico was in the carriage, and thus they took from me my own votes, and I was up against it."

TOWN GROWING RAPIDLY.

The postal receipts for the past year show an increase of more than 11 per cent. over the previous twelve months. Postmaster Kelley has been figuring the receipts for the past ten years, and discovers a most remarkable increase each year. For last December the receipts were $3294.67, as compared with $2954.96 for the same month of the previous year. This increase is regarded as a certain evidence of the growth of the town. Today Noah Adair, one of the best informed citizens, estimated the city present population at 16,000. Growth is also indicated by the building record for the year, which is more than 30,000 in advance of the previous year.

NO COSTLY TRAPPINGS.

Late Leon Cerf Asked That as Little as Possible Be Spent on His Funeral.

VENTURA, Jan. 2.—The will of the late Leon Cerf has been filed for probate. The property consists of 270 shares of the Leon Cerf Company liquor business, of unknown value. The will is short and was written by the testator. It makes his two sons, Julian and Leon, as executors, to act without bonds, the estate to be equally divided, after all debts are paid, between the two sons and one daughter. The document concludes thus:

"I want to be buried by the lodge, F. & A.M., of Ventura, of which I am a charter member. I don't want to see any luxury about my funeral. I need as little as you positively need. The coffin to put in the ground is as good as a $150 one. I want to be laid to rest next my wife, your dear mother."

The funeral of James Sutton took place yesterday, under the auspices of the Pioneer Society. Deceased came to Ventura county in 1869, settling in the Santa Clara Valley. Later he farmed near Saticoy. He had been afflicted with rheumatism for a long time and had made his home at the hot springs in the valley until stricken with paralysis some months ago, when he was removed to the hospital here. He was a native of Illinois, aged 72 years. The funeral sermon was delivered by Rev. Dr. Shrigsbury of the Congregational Church.

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MENTALLY DEPRESSED

AGED WOMAN WANDERS AWAY.

RIVERSIDE SUFFERER CAUSES FRIENDS' ANGUISH.

While Large Searching Party Scours Arroyo She Reclines for Six Hours Under an Orange Tree Within Three Hundred Feet of Her Home.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 2.—Mrs. Laura E. Angell, 70 years old, and suffering keen mental depression, disappeared from the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Hagerman, at No. 3074 Myrtle avenue, last night, and was found only after hours of anxious search. Fearing she had made an attempt to end her life, Deputy Sheriff Evans organized a searching party of nearly fifty, and the entire section in the vicinity of the Hagerman place, including the arroyo, was gone over by men with lanterns.

It was not until the search had been continued for six hours that she was found, wrapped in a shawl and lying under an orange tree in the Clark grove, scarcely three hundred feet from her home. She offered no explanation as to why she had wandered away, and apparently suffered no ill effects from exposure. For several weeks Mrs. Angell's mental condition has caused her friends great uneasiness, and because of a suicidal tendency, she has been kept under watch.

CHEER FOR CHILDREN.

Armfuls of warm clothing, toys, books, candy, fruit and other gifts were distributed to 150 of the poorest children of Riverside last night by Staff Capt. and Mrs. Ayre of the Salvation Army, at a New Year's party at the army hall on Main street. This was the only bit of holiday cheer that many of these children of want have seen this winter, and their appreciation was delightful to see.

FORGER AT WORK.

The police have received word that a forger has been at work in Arlington, and has succeeded in passing two bogus checks for $15, with the forged name of Edgar Hazell, a well-known rancher. The checks were presented at the stores of S. W. Wells and the Arlington Supply Company. In each instance a small purchase was made and the change was received by the forger in cash.

DR. JORDAN LECTURES.

Dr. David Starr Jordan of Stanford University was the principal speaker at the New Year's reception given by the Young Men's Christian Association last evening. He advocated the practice of the motto: "To do the best thing, now." He declared that every virtue a man possesses is so much money in his pocket, and that every evil was chalked up against him. "There is only one way to keep vice away from man," he said, "and that is to keep his virtues active."

Throop Polytechnic Institute, Pasadena, which opens for the winter term January 6, maintains a homelike boarding hall for a limited number of boys. Cost of board and tuition is at the lowest living figure. College courses in engineering offered; manual training academy.

DESERTERS IDENTIFIED.

Men Serving Vagrancy Sentences in Santa Ana Jail Are Found to Be from Navy.

SANTA ANA, Jan. 2.—Two men serving ten-day sentences in jail on vagrancy charges have been identified as deserters. They gave their names here as William Leonard and J. J. Cain, but on the Maryland, which they left at Santa Barbara on November 5, they were Harry Berger and J. A. Walsh. Constable C. E. Jackson, who arrested them, will take them to Mare Island.

The receipts of the Santa Ana postoffice for December, 1907, show no traces of financial stringency. The postal receipts for the Christmas month were 18 per cent. over the postal receipts for the same month of 1906. Last month the office sold $2765.31 in stamps as against $2353.06 for December, 1906.

Another weekly newspaper is to be started in Santa Ana. L. H. Padgham, a local directory man, is interested in the enterprise.

The following New Year's marriage licenses were issued here: John F. Parsons, aged 24, and Edith R. Young, aged 22, both of Santa Ana; M. H. Thompson, aged 23, and Coralynn Harris, aged 22, both of Santa Ana; Jabez S. Hill, aged 25, of Needles, and Jessie M. Carden, aged 21, of Santa Ana; C. T. Clifford, aged 21, and Mattie E. Sabin, aged 22, both of Long Beach; James M. Wallace, aged 67, of Santa Ana, and Sarah E. Strunk, aged 59, of Chino; H. S. Tregarthen, aged 21, and Alice Scott, aged 20, of Los Angeles; Peter B. Estrada, aged 30, and Ella Butterick, aged 24, both of Los Angeles; A. R. Platte, aged 21, and Myrtle A. Burnett, aged 18, both of Los Angeles; Fred H. McFarland, aged 21, of Needles, and Marie I. Meyers, aged 20, both of Los Angeles; Ford L. Barris, aged 22, and Alice M. Comelson, aged 23, both of Los Angeles; Clyde Bishop, aged 23, of Santa Ana, and Ila L. Hargrave, aged 23, of Orange; John B. Mallory, aged 65, of San Bernardino, and Louise Beiser, aged 24, of San José; Henry W. Bunker, Sr., aged 75, and Margaret Davis, aged 52, both of Santa Ana.

HAS ALL THE TRIMMINGS.

Railroad Social at Calexico Is Wild and Woolly and Is Coin Winner for Church.

CALEXICO, Jan. 2.—One of the interesting events of the holiday season was a church social, with all the trimmings which the tenderfoot is accustomed to connect with life on the frontier. This was termed a "railroad social," and the interior of the Methodist Church edifice here was converted by members of the Epworth League into a good resemblance of a passenger car. One of the Southern Pacific engine headlights shot out its searching rays at the door of the building, and another was on the platform of the auditorium—a sort of double-header. The audience took the place of the passengers, and was waited upon by peanut butchers, a business-like conductor, with lantern on arm and ticket-punch in hand; attentive trainmen, etc., all of these parts being assumed by young ladies of the Epworth League, who were costumed in regulation uniform—to a certain degree. Right in the midst of the excursion there came a train hold-up, when shots were fired and a band of robbers burst in and relieved the passengers of all their available change—all for the "good of the cause." The bandits were composed of five popular young ladies of Calexico, dressed in khaki riding habits, embellished with cartridge belts and conspicuous pistols. They were very successful in bringing forth the coin.

CHANGE IN PUBLIC SCHOOL.

The principalship of the Calexico public school has been resigned by Prof. E. McCulley, and the position has been filled by Rev. Mr. Muchmore, who recently came here to assume the pastorate of the Calexico Congregational Church.

ALONG THE BORDER.

A strong movement is on foot for incorporation of Calexico as a city of the sixth class. The offer of the Imperial Improvement Company to donate the proceeds of the sale of a town block to Calexico for public improvements has caused impetus to be given the incorporation movement. It is felt that there should be a regular local city government to advance street improvement and other public enterprises.

A Chinese laundry, long suspected as an opium joint, was raided here by Constable Eslow, and in a cellar under the house, without light or ventilation, were found San Ching, proprietor of the place, and two young men of the valley, preparing to smoke the drug. Eight full cans of opium and a complete outfit were captured. The white men were dismissed with a stiff lecture by the justice, and the Chinaman was fined $25 and sentenced to serve sixty days in the Imperial County Jail.

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VETERAN MISSING.

Had Considerable Money When Last Seen at San Diego—Woman Shot by Husband.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 2.—William Rufus Wheeler, known as Capt. Wheeler, a Grand Army man, has been missing from his home since Monday. He is 75 years of age and told friends here that all his family was killed in the San Francisco earthquake. He had considerable money when last seen.

BULLET SEVERS SPINAL CORD.

Mrs. James T. Hodges is in a critical condition as the result of being hit by a bullet fired from a revolver in the hands of her husband. The bullet entered her back, severing the spinal cord, so that the lower part of her body is wholly paralyzed.

INDICATES PROSPERITY.

It is estimated that more than $350,000 is represented in the 250 automobiles in the city and county, that $100,000 is invested in sales and repair-rooms, and that 100 men are employed.

GOODRICH ARRIVES.

Rear-Admiral Goodrich, commander of the Pacific squadron at the time of the Bennington disaster, arrived today to take charge of the arrangements for the dedication of the monument at the national cemetery on Point Loma next Tuesday. The plans for the observance are already well under way, in charge of Commander Almy of the coaling station.

VOTERS IN HURRY.

The County Clerk has appointed six deputies to take the registration affidavits in the Escondido district, where the voters are in a hurry to register on account of the new petition which is being circulated for the division of the county.

SAN DIEGO NOTES.

The sum of $49,445 has been apportioned from the county funds for the different school districts. Each gets $230 for its school and $15 for its school library.

City Clerk J. T. Butler has been elected president of the South Dakota and Minnesota Association, which held its reunion at Mission Cliff yesterday.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Cheney, a pioneer citizen, who died at Ramona, Tuesday, aged 83 years, was held today. Mrs. Cheney with her only son, Ralph L. Wright, had resided in this county for thirty-seven years.

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GREATER SPEAKING REACH.

Prospective Extension in Telephone Service in the Coachella Valley.

THERMAL, Jan. 1.—The Coachella Valley Home Telephone Company has held its annual meeting and laid plans for the extension of the telephone service into various sections of the valley. The company proposes to raise $2500 for the purpose of placing at least fifty more telephones in service. The additional stock issue is to be placed with property owners in the valley. The system now covers the towns of Indio, Coachella, Thermal and Mecca, and has numerous service telephones in the homes of the valley ranchers. Indications are that the system will soon become a part of a long distance service reaching from the lower end of the Imperial Valley to Los Angeles.

C. W. Mixter, who last month sold his home place to Los Angeles men for a stock farm, has purchased from J. B. Alvord an eighty-acre tract near Thermal, and will improve it at once.

Rev. P. H. Bodkin, editor of the California Independent, and Rev. T. Hendry, a Los Angeles Congregational minister, have been spending several days in the Coachella Valley, where they have property interests. Mr. Hendry contemplates the purchase of town lots in Thermal and erection of cottages for rent.

Citizens of Thermal have begun the agitation of road building from Thermal to Cottonwood Springs, which is the main watering station for the promising mining district to the southeast. It is anticipated that Thermal will become the general supply point for the district, in which there is much prospecting at present.

Directly south of Indio seven tracts of twenty acres each have been sold to South Pasadena people, and a pumping plant is to be installed to furnish water for the new ranches. The entire quarter section will be placed under cultivation at once.

ANAHEIM.

ANAHEIM, Jan. 2.—William McLaughlin has sold the crop of Valencia oranges from his ten-acre orchard for $1040 per acre on the trees. This is one of the best sales ever made here.

A stranger entered Hatzfeld's drug store the other evening, purchased 50 cents worth of goods, and offered a check for $4.85, purporting to be drawn by P. W. Shuis in favor of Rudolph Meyers. Mr. Hatzfeld telephoned the bank, and asked if the man had an account. Receiving a negative answer, he hastened to the front of the store, but the stranger had departed.

Miss Jean Adams has been appointed city librarian. The new quarters in the Chamber of Commerce building were opened today.

Charles E. Jones has returned from the Kelso mine, having closed down operations for the present.

Richard Melrose has let the contract to A. E. Strehle for a $4000 residence on Hedwig street.

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One of the largest audiences of the season greeted the Great Fer-Don last night, at the free show grounds at Seventh and Spring sts. Fer-Don told how the European Medical Experts were extending the offer of treatment at cost until February 1st. Hundreds have already taken advantage of this offer, hundreds have not yet had the opportunity, owing to the crowds and their inability to call at the offices in the month of December. "My doctors do this to advertise," said Fer-Don; "after February 1 their regular schedule of prices goes into effect, and by that time every sick and afflicted person in the entire Southwest will have heard of these doctors, and of their wonderful cures."

For the cures made by these physicians have been phenomenal. All chronic diseases are curable by their methods. While, by their European treatments, many diseases are curable which are pronounced hopeless by other physicians, still they do not claim to do the impossible. Any one whose disease is positively incurable, is told so and the case is refused. No case where there is even a doubt that a cure can be performed is accepted. When the European Medical Experts accept any case for treatment they know they can promise a cure.

Deafness, rheumatism, paralysis, hip joint disease, female trouble, kidney, liver, stomach and blood troubles have been cured in many Los Angeles people. Tumors, cancers, gall stones and other abnormal growths have been removed from Los Angeles people without the use of a knife. For the European Experts are bloodless surgeons. They perform no operation, in cases of cancer, tumor, gall stones or appendicitis, but cure by their wonderful preparations alone, doing away with the knife, with blood and with pain.

Their offices are at 745 S. Main street, where they can be seen daily except Sunday. To prevent a loss of time through curiosity-seekers, they make a charge of $1.00 for examination. They also answer all letters of inquiry and their daily mail holds dozens of letters from sick and suffering people living outside of Los Angeles. They have cured many persons living at a distance and to these also the offer of treatment for the cost of the medicine alone holds good.

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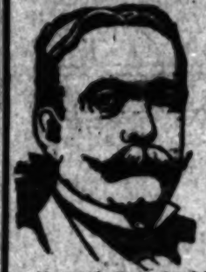

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On Sale 8 to 10 Friday Morning
Just half price for two hours for the popular squaw bags; soft calfskin leather, nicely finished; black, brown and tan.

Standard Dress Prints 3 1/3c
On Sale 8 to 10 Friday only
The assortment includes both dress prints and gray voiles; the prints are in fancy plaid patterns, assorted colors and good quality; the voiles are gray only, in plaid designs.

$50.00 Tailored Suits Trotting Dresses $24.75
"Fluffy Ruffles" "Fitted" and "Long Coat" Models

Handsome tailored suits that were considered the best values in the city at the regular prices at the beginning of the season. There are all wanted colors in the assortment; also black, fluffy ruffle fitted and long coat models; perfectly fashioned and tailored in every particular; trotting dresses also are included in this big lot of garments; are made of the most wanted and popular materials and the price named for Friday is less than half the actual value of any number of them.

$15.00 For Fine Tailored Suits
200 of Them—Worth Regularly to $35

The suits include all the most wanted of this season's popular models; some made of broadcloth, others of fine woolen serge in the most wanted shades; also some handsome dresses of fine panama materials; the regular prices range from $25 to $35; choice of any suit or dress in the lot Friday only at the price named. Second Floor.

$5.00 For Choice of Skirts Worth to $12.50 Or All Wool 50-inch Coats Worth to $15

An Unparalleled Offer in Women's Wearables from the Second Floor for Friday Only

The Skirts There are just 100 of them to be sold at the price named, which is positively less than the actual cost of the materials. Some of these garments are made of fine all wool Panama cloth, while others are all fancy wool materials; all wanted colors and in the most popular of the season's styles; values to $12.50.

The Coats For the early shoppers there are any number of coats in this lot that are worth regularly to $15; fine all wool cloth in all wanted colors; 50-inch length models also some handsome coats of taffeta silk; none in the lot worth less than $10.00 and others $12.50 to $15.00. Shop early.

$6.50 Silk Waists at $2.98
75 of Them—All Colors

Friday morning we are placing on sale just 75 waists of an excellent quality taffeta silk; the price named is for many of these waists less than half the regular value; made up in pretty popular styles of an excellent quality taffeta silk in all wanted colors; all sizes in the assortment; as the number of these waists is limited to 75 and none will be sold except at the regular price after those are gone, early shopping is advisable.

Not'gham Lace Curtains Ea. 25c

A manufacturer's odd and sample line of curtains consisting of 1 to 5 pairs of a kind; good quality Nottingham lace finished with buttonhole edge, and are worth regularly to $1 a pair.

$12.50 Axminster Hall Rugs $7.50

Are 4½x12 feet in size; a choice assortment of designs in the most lasting colors; these rugs are also suitable for bedrooms. THIRD FLOOR.

Misses' $4 Trimmed Hats 98c

Odd lines, consisting of two or three of a kind; some are slightly soiled from being tried on. These hats are made of excellent materials and nicely trimmed and include values regular to $4.00.

$7.50 Trimmed Hats at $2.50

A very large assortment of trimmed hats for women; best quality French felt with silk velvet trimmings; also trimmings of fancy wing and feathers; all good colors and not a hat in the lot worth less than $7.50.

$5.00 White Ostrich Plumes $2.50

A big lot of ostrich plumes in white only on sale Friday while they last at just exactly half their regular value; best quality plumes with extra heavy heads.

$4.85 Satin Hats at $1.95

Dress shapes made of the best quality satin with velvet binding; all wanted colors; also black.

75c Window Shades at 39c

An Extra Special Offering for Friday's Surprise Sale.

500 high grade oil opaque window shades at a pre-inventory price that is only half the regular value; included in the assortment are a number of different lines; a cleanup from our work room, and include some of the finest "duplex" shades; 24 to 36 inches wide and 5 and 6 feet in length; all complete at the price named.

Three Pairs 25c Hose 50c

Black Agate cotton hose, in plain black, black lace allover, black with white feet; also children's fine or heavy ribbed in black cotton, with double knees, soles, heels and toes; Black Agate dye.

Pre-Inventory Sale Underwear Continued

25c for Women's and Children's Garments worth 50c
The balance of the sample garments purchased from Ely & Walker Company. Women's fleeced vests with high neck and long sleeves and ankle pants with French bands to match; also union suits, same style, button in front; children's vests, same style, with ankle pants to match that button on side; boys' drawers heavily fleeced.

50c for Women's and Children's Underwear worth $1.00
These also are from the sample lines of Ely & Walker Company women's wool mixed fleeced vests, in high neck and long sleeve style, with ankle pants to match, with French bands; also union suits, nicely fleeced, same style, button in front. Children's vest same style, with pants to match; also union suits, same style, with drop seats.

Cleanup Silk and Kid Gloves at 50c
Odd and Broken Lines Ranging in Price to $1.25.
The kid gloves are in black, white and colors, in nearly all sizes; two clasps and finished with three rows embroidery stitching; the silk gloves have double-tipped fingers.

Cleanup Lisle Gloves at 25c
Odd and Broken Lines. Worth Regularly 50c.
Women's and children's lisle gloves, knit golf gloves and wool mittens; the lisle goves have two clasps at wrist and three rows embroidery stitching on back; all colors and sizes; the golf gloves and mittens are in red, pink, blue, gray and navy.

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NEEDY.

SOUP HOUSE FOR CHOLOS.

NEW IDEA FOR BETHLEHEM'S FREE BATHS.

Hundreds of Unemployed Mexican Laborers Swarm in from the Railroad Camps and Must Be Fed. Dana Bartlett Appeals for Substantial Food to Help Them Out.

The situation at Bethlehem Institution has now grown acute, in connection with the plan to send back to Mexico all laborers now here and out of employment, providing they wish to return home. Yesterday 600 of them spent two hours in consultation with the Mexican Consul, Antonio Lozano, in Bethlehem Church, Vignes and Ducommun streets, during which time a large number were registered for the car that will leave today.

Beginning with Tuesday, a car has been attached to one train each day on the Southern Pacific Railroad, and in the three days something less than 300, including many small children, have been sent off, and there are 1500 yet to go. Within a day or two the Santa Fé will also take one carload a day, but pending more rapid transportation facilities, a serious situation has arisen.

Consul Lozano is spending his entire time in carrying out the plan to the best possible advantage, selecting the families with the smallest children or with any who are sick, and providing each family or individual with a box of provisions sufficient for the trip. Meantime, those who were among the first to apply have exhausted their entire resources, and are on the point of starvation; and Dana W. Bartlett, superintendent of Bethlehem, has determined to come to the rescue, and, commencing with Sunday noon, will serve one good meal a day to all who are unable to provide for themselves.

Bethlehem Baths, which have been closed over for the winter, will be transformed into a soup-house for the purpose, and, if necessary, will also be used for a bunk-house at night, in order to relieve the distress of a large number of these people, who are now rolling up in their blankets and sleeping in the riverbed every night. The nights have become cold and damp, and Mr. Bartlett thinks that relief will have to be given in this direction.

He argues that these people, if left here, will under any circumstances become dependent upon the city, but if they become sick, the charge will be all the more serious, and therefore he argues the thing for the people of the city to do is to keep them well and get rid of them as soon as possible.

He has two he del necessary things with which to ... their wants—he has the place to ... them and the will to do it. It remains for the citizens to supply the third constituent—the things to eat. He said last night:

"Send us beans, coffee, sugar, bread, potatoes—almost anything in the way of substantial food. We have the means of doing the cooking and serving, but, in addition to the regular dependents upon the bounty of Bethlehem, we are unable to furnish the supplies for this great army of suffering people. I estimate that at least 500 will have to be fed every day for at least a week from next Sunday, and perhaps very much longer.

"Instead of the number decreasing, it is growing every day. The news has gone outside the city that there is a chance to get back home, and more are coming in each day. It is the desire of Consul Lozano to help all who wish to go back, no matter where they come from, and it will be economy for the city in the end, for sooner or later all will drift in here. Past experience leads me to believe that the good people of the city will send me the provisions to feed them, and our wagons will cheerfully call for supplies at any place indicated by telephone or otherwise."

Mr. Bartlett has simply fallen heir to all this extra work and expense, and it makes the life of himself and all those engaged about Bethlehem a strenuous one. He enjoys the full confidence and cooperation of people of all denominations, or of no denomination, and there is every reason to believe that he will not appeal in vain for the starving Mexicans.

DEATH OF EFFICIENT OFFICER.

Patrolman Maranville Succumbs to Disease of the Blood After Only Few Days' Illness.

Patrolman R. A. Maranville, one of the most popular and efficient members of the police force, died yesterday afternoon at the County Hospital, after an illness of less than a week.

Maranville had been a member of the police force five years. He was complimented many times by his superior officers for his brave and efficient work in the performance of his duties.

Although suffering with a disease of the blood, brought on by an old wound, Maranville refused to leave off work until the inroads of the disease compelled him to give up.

The officer was a descendant of a famous French family, prominent in the history of that country. He leaves a widow and two children. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon.

A report of the transactions of the New York coffee exchange show that there was sold through the exchange during 1907, 18,553,250 bags of coffee, as against 13,117,500 bags for the preceding year.

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Louis Givernaud,
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FIRST SILK MAKER NO MORE.

Louis Givernaud, One of America's Pioneers in the Industry, Dies in This City.

A unique character in the industrial history of America passed away in this city yesterday, when Louis Givernaud, pioneer silk manufacturer, closed his eyes in death.

Forty years ago the deceased arrived at the port of New York from France, with his father and three brothers, and they at once established there the first silk mill ever operated in the United States, and it exists at this moment under the original name of Givernaud Brothers, though Louis Givernaud had no interest in the business at the time of his death.

Being very wealthy and enjoying travel, Mr. Givernaud had spent many winters in Southern California, and had a great desire to make Los Angeles his permanent home. About a year ago his wife died in Paris; Mr. Givernaud disposed of his silk interests, and, with his married son, Charles Givernaud, came here to spend the remaining days of his life. He purchased an elegant home in the exclusive section on West Washington street, set about making it all that wide observation, taste and wealth could desire, and just one month before he died, installed himself, his son and daughter-in-law in the beautiful residence at No. 2009 West Washington street. He had been ill for some days from heart trouble, and but two days before his death he asked to be carried downstairs, that he might enjoy a view of the lower part of the house, and be with his son and wife and their guests. He is described by one who knew him well as the most generous and hospitable of men and a choice companion in every way.

He was born in Lyons, France, and was 74 years of age, and the last remaining member of the family is a brother, residing at Hoboken, N. J. The funeral will be held on Saturday at 10 o'clock a.m., when a solemn high mass will be celebrated at the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, on Pico Heights.

DEATH IS SUDDEN.

Resident of Pomona Is Stricken With Apoplexy and Succumbs Without a Moment's Warning.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

POMONA, Jan. 2.—Suddenly stricken with apoplexy, E. S. Farley, carpenter, dropped dead about 7 a.m. in the alley south of a livery stable, where he was preparing to take a team to drive to his work.

Mr. Farley was about 43 years old, a member of the Christian Church and much respected. The funeral probably will be held Sunday afternoon and the remains interred beside those of his wife, in Pomona cemetery. He left no relatives in California.

POMONA NEWS NOTES.

The ladies of the Shakespeare Club are planning to present one of Shakespeare's plays here early in June. Last season they gave a successful out-of-door production of "As You Like It," and are encouraged to further effort.

Pomona Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, conferred the fourth degree at a meeting this evening.

About twenty houses are in process of erection, and plans are being prepared for another business building for Second street. An extension of fifty feet is to be made to the south side of the Phillips block, at the southeast corner of Second and Thomas streets.

Miss Barbara Greenwood, supervisor of public kindergartens here, was presented with a purse of $25 as a New Year's gift, by some of the mothers interested in child-study and kindergarten work, in token of their appreciation of her untiring efforts.

Judge Trieber, in the Federal court at Little Rock, Ark., yesterday upheld the constitutionality of the anti-futures act. The court declares that the State did not exceed its power in enacting the statute in a police regulation to protect the morals of the public. The suit was begun by a Chicago brokerage firm on the basis that the law violated interstate rights.

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THE WEATHER.

DAILY REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; possibly rain at night; fresh southwest winds. For San Francisco and vicinity: Showers; with fresh south winds.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 63 deg.; minimum, 45 deg. Wind, 5 a. m., northeast; velocity, 9 miles; 5 p. m., west; velocity, 11 miles. Rain, midnight the temperature was 48 degrees; clear.

TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 47 deg.; clear.

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THE CITY. Famous grapevine the house of Ramona and said to largest in the world, acquired by Los Angeles Landmarks Association and will be preserved....Los Angeles has candidate for President, Fred T. Wheeler having opened a correspondence bureau to boost him to ahead of the national Prohibition ticket. Motorcycle policemen pursue speeding automobilist seven miles and capture him....Burglar in search of booty, encountering gutted by plucky ... [illegible] ... tures at Santa Ana....Extradition fight of more than a year's duration to be ended today in United States Court....Death of Mrs. Augusta Newmark, pioneer....Acting Mayor Pendleton declines to name new commissioner in absence of Mayor Harper....City Engineer to prepare plans for new pier at Hyperion....Deserted husband makes to retain community interest in property which he deeded to wife to keep peace in the family....Matter of placing Mrs. Annie Starr on probation taken under advisement by court....Ruby Casselman held to answer for forgery....Rudolph Ulrich defeats George Memmle in fast round boxing contest.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Citrus Chamber of Commerce selects a committee to promote among orange growers the idea of employing only white pickers....Tournament of Roses Association banquet a joyful function in Pasadena....City bonding project for dredging operations popular in Wilmington....San Pedro-Redondo railroad discussed at Redondo....Long Beach dead man may be from Decatur, Ill....Burned schoolhouse to be replaced in Santa Monica....Fair proposed in connection with Parade of Products in Santa Ana.

GENERAL EASTERN. Republican leaders in Congress plan to pass financial bill and thereby insure victory in November election....Continuation of traffic decline causes concern among railroad officials....Interstate Commerce Commissioner Knapp expresses doubt whether consolidation of Union Pacific and Southern Pacific can be considered illegal....Fish's representative returns from proxy-hunting trip to Europe....Three Montana outlaws sentenced to three months' imprisonment for violating an injunction. Americans storm oriental quarter in Ogden, Utah, and attempt to drive out the Japs....All the power of Roosevelt administration exerted in behalf of Taft boom....Woman, whose nude body was found in pond in New Jersey, is positively identified by husband, who is arrested....Kentucky night riders make another raid and burn two tobacco warehouses....Eighty cities in fifteen States have prohibition laws according to Chairman Jones of National Committee....Widow of Rev. Cash, who was poisoned, brands suspicion of her as "preposterous."...Rear-Admiral Rixey, surgeon-general of navy, in danger of court-martial for criticism of Brownson....Mrs. George F. Bronson Howard filed suit for divorce charging infidelity....Anarchy reigns in Muncie, Ind., where union rioters have taken possession of city, defy authorities, and use firearms....Holders of homesteads near Uintah find that land offers less area unaccounted for and they have no title to claims.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Los Angeles wins completes big water power deal in Arizona....Jewels once in crown of Peter the Great offered at auction in Prescott, Ariz....Paul Mullen, well-known pugilist, shoots San Francisco contractor as result of dispute over Attell-Moran fight....California State Board of Trade calls convention of fruit growers to be held in San Francisco, January 15....J. Dalzell Brown gives until next Wednesday to plead to indictment; book-keeper confesses to falsifying books....Severe earthquake shakes Cape Prince of Wales....Portion of troops leave Goldfield for California.